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EUROPE.

BY THE ATLANTIC CABLE

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The Conference at Salzburg.

Monument to Marshal Prim Proposed.

France-Italian Difficulty Explained.

Great Increase in British Exports—The Wigan Calamity—The Queen Improving—Cattle Disease Spreading.

LONDON, September 8.—The returns show that the exports from Great Britain during the month of August were unprecedented. The actual value of goods which passed outward was £21,321,345, an increase of thirty per cent. over the same month last year.

An affray between Catholics and Protestants occurred yesterday at Port A'Down, Ireland. No lives were lost.

Communication has been expected with the imprisoned miners of Wigan. The dead body of one of the victims has been brought to the surface. The others are known to be in so prosperous a condition that hopes are entertained of the present rescue of any of their lives.

Queen Victoria is still improving. She sat in the garden at Balmoral yesterday.

The crops in the county of York have been damaged by the storms.

The foot and mouth disease is spreading alarmingly among the cattle of Warwickshire.

Mr. Prescott Hewett has returned.

The Deerlinger Movement.

MUNICH, September 7.—Count Arco, the Catholic representative from Bavaria to Rome, to whom the Catholic party in Germany have looked as the champion of their battles in behalf of the Holy See, has been replaced by Count Tauffkirchen, who is a partisan of Doellin ger. This nomination produces a deep feeling of discontent in the Vatican. The new church party accept it as a signal triumph for their principles. Trantmannsdorf has always been hostile to France, especially during the late troubles.

Conference of the Emperors at Salzburg.

SALZBURG, September 7.—A conference was had between the Emperors William and Francis Joseph yesterday at this place, which was of a most friendly character. The people availed themselves of the event to have a gala day. A grand dinner was given to-night. There is also a brilliant illumination of the surrounding mountains. The Emperor William leaves to-morrow for Munich.

Changes in the Turkish Ministry.

CONSTANTINOPLE, September 8.—It is announced that Mohammed Pasha will succeed Ali Pasha as Grand Vizier and that DJunii Pasha will become Minister of Foreign Affairs.

A Mayor Suspended.

PARIS, September 8.—The Mayor of the town of Montalcon has been suspended by the government, despite the prohibition of the authorities, to celebrate the anniversary of the inauguration of the Republic.

Movements of King Amadeus—Monument to Prim.

MADRID, September 8.—King Amadeus has started from Valencia for Tortosa.

Subscriptions to the amount of £3,750 sterling have been raised in Spain for the purpose of erecting a monument to Marshal Prim.

Friendly Parting of the Emperor.

SALZBURG, September 8.—The Emperor William and Francis Joseph parted this morning warm friends, and the former has left for Munich, where he visits the King of Bavaria.

Government Majority in the New Austrian House.

VIENNA, September 8.—The Moravian elections give a majority of seven-thirds majority in the House for the realization of the policy of the equality of all Austrian nationalities.

Foreigners Invited to Witness the Manoeuvres of the British Army—Englishmen Taken to Task for Self-Depreciation.

LONDON, September 8.—Field Marshal Von Burnemthal and Count Von Moltke have arrived in London on the behalf of the German government of the autumn manoeuvers of the British army in Berkshire. Each of the nations of Europe has, it appears, been invited to send a military officer to observe the evolutions of the troops.

Right Hon. George J. Goschen, in a speech in reply to a toast at the citizens' feast at Newcastle yesterday, uttered a warning against the prevalent habit of self-depreciation on the part of Englishmen.

One hundred and fifty Italian family emigrants have arrived at Newcastle-on-Tyne.

The Cork papers to-day say that Mr. Butt, Home Rule candidate for Parliament from Limerick, who was arrested for debt, has escaped from the custody of the bailiff.

The colleries in the Malton district are to receive an advance in wages of ten per cent.

The French-Italian Difficulty Explained.

PARIS, September 8.—The *Journal des Debats* of to-day states that the differences between the French and Italian governments are due to the refusal of the delegates of the French Legation with the municipal envoys of the Italian government, who were engaged on the work of surveying a line for the railroad. It proves that the delegate in question belonged to the Vatican Legation, instead of the Italian Court, and a satisfactory settlement of the difficulty is expected.

It is stated that Gambetta has undertaken the defense in the case of the prisoners at the trial of the coming Charente Assizes.

The Foot and Mouth Disease.

LONDON, September 8.—There were 1,451 cases of foot and mouth disease in the county of Norfolk last week.

Death of the Grand Vizier.

CONSTANTINOPLE, September 8.—The death of the Grand Vizier took place Wednesday afternoon.

Transportation of Communists to the Pacific—Alacrity in Obeying Instructions.

PARIS, September 8.—The proposals of the Lower California Company to transport the Communist prisoners and form a colony on the Pacific coast, have been referred to the committee of the Assembly which will soon make a report on the scheme.

The latest news from Algeria is favorable. The Beni Mesnasser tribe have submitted. The insurrection in the province of Algiers has been subdued, and the state of siege has been raised.

Rossel Sentenced to Death—Expenses of the French Government for the Year.

VERSAILLES, September 8.—The trial of Rossel before the court martial terminated in his conviction. The prisoner has been sentenced to military degradation and death.

The Budget Committee have presented their report to the Assembly. The estimated expenses for the fiscal year are as follows: Interest on public debt, 725,000,000 francs; armaments, 675,000,000 francs; ordinary expenditure, 2,900,000,000 francs; departmental expenditures, 200,00,000 francs.

Marine News.

LONDON, September 8, 4:30 P. M.—Consols, 93¼@93⅝. Bonds—5-20s of '62, 93¾; do '65, 90¾; do '67, 90¾; 10-40s, 86¾.

PARIS, September 8.—Rentes 57 francs 25 centimes. Bullion in the Bank of France decreased 23,528,000 francs.

ANTWERP, September 8.—Petroleum 50½ francs.

MANCHESTER, September 8.—Market firmer at better prices.

LIVERPOOL, September 8.—Cotton firm; middling uplands 9½d.

California wheat (in bd); spring 10s 5d@10s; winter 11s 5d. Flour 24s@28s 6d. Corn 30s.

Great Demonstration in Poland.

NEW YORK, September 8.—A correspondent writing under date of August 1st, from Lemberg, in Poland, and the ancient capital of the country, says: A grand demonstration of the Slavic race had been held there in commemoration of the anniversary of the dismemberment of the Kingdom. Delegations were present from every part of the country. Immense enthusiasm was manifested. Some fifty thousand people went in procession to a mound near the city to visit the Kosiec, an ancient memorial of national humiliation. Many Russian authorities regarded the celebration with suspicion. The event is thought to have significance as evidence of an outburst on the people for the independence of Poland.

NEWS SUMMARY.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Judge William Livingston suicided at Virginia City yesterday with morphine. Financial troubles are said to have been the cause.

A special from Madison, Wis., says there is considerable excitement in that section among the hop growers, and as high as fifty cents was offered there yesterday for hops and fifteen to twenty cents paid for last year's growth. The crop in this county is pronounced first rate, better than for several years, on the county, however, is small, being estimated at only 5,000 bales.

The National Division Sons of Temperance have settled the question of colored membership. They deem it inexpedient to organize separate lodges on account of color.

The damage to the locks at Lockport, N. Y., has been repaired and navigation resumed.

Esme O'Donnell, a well known journalist, formerly of the New York *Tribune*, died in Philadelphia yesterday.

One day last week a large private party of citizens made a steamboat excursion down the bay from Wilmington, Del. Next day nearly the whole party suffered from serious illness, the symptoms being those of poisoning, and in several families one or more members are now very sick. One peculiar feature is that after the victim seems to have been nearly recovered, a relapse occurs, and the last is the same severity as at first. One of the physicians is reported to have forty of these cases under treatment.

At Brainard Hall, Cleveland, on Thursday evening, there was a meeting of citizens of German birth or descent to protest against the Ohio liquor and temperance laws. The attendance was large. Addresses were made by prominent Germans, and resolutions adopted denouncing the laws as favoring the objects of the meeting.

The bright prospect now again at Indianapolis, Ind., *postponed* this morning. Arguments were exhausted on the motion to quash, but no decision was made by the Judge.

There were three deaths from yellow fever in Chatham, Georgia.

At Louisville yesterday morning, Johnny Ohern, a boy about twelve years old, attempting to pass between two moving trains on the Short Line road, was thrown over by one of them and had his right leg crushed, rendering amputation necessary. He is not expected to recover.

It is reported that the Cavan detective has succeeded in discovering and arresting the parties who perpetrated the recent express robbery at Monroe, on the Mobile and Ohio Railroad. It is said they are now in the vicinity and heretofore unsuspected.

NEW YORK.

The Great Tammany Muddle.

The "Herald" Shows Its Hand.

The Thieves Called on to Resign.

Ring Candidates Have No Sure Thing.

Rosenzweig Not Yet Indicted.

His Case to Come Up Next Week.

Meeting of Nail Men in Philadelphia

Advance in Prices Established.

The Emily A. Post Abortion Case.

Verdict of the Coroner's Jury.

Perry and Madame Van Buskirk Murderers.

The Post Family Held to Answer.

THE HERALD AND TAMMANY.

The *Herald*, whice has heretofore had little to say on the Tammany frauds, in an editorial leader today thinks that the attacks in the press upon the city officials are founded on personal spite, disappointment and party business motives. It thinks that all the parties who have held sway in the city in the past year have been guilty of plunder, and that the present power of Tammany was attained through the co-operation of Republicans. It asks for the resignation of Tweed and Connolly, and says that a crisis has come in the affairs in the history of Tammany, which cannot be bridged over by expedients, and where the influence of party organizations cannot avert, and that the organization of political elements is demanded by the situation.

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT.

There are reports that the Citizens' Committee of seventy have laid charges against the city authorities before the United States Court, in which there is a dissolution of the injunction of Judge Barnard on Monday next.

CANVASSING READY TO BE OUSTED.

The decision of the Court of Appeals, referred to yesterday, it is thought, will necessitate a new choice at the coming fall elections for controller, aldermen, corporation counsel, and other officials of minor consequence. The parties affected by the decision are commencing to get ready for the situation.

TAMMANY CANDIDATES HAVING UP-HILL WORK.

Some of the Tammany aspirants for office to be voted for in the fall are already beginning to experience trouble. In the Sixth Ward Thos. Creamer appears to have presumed that the promise of his nomination for Senator by the Tammany leaders would, as a matter of course, secure his election; but it is now found that the strength of opposing candidates leaves his chances in some doubt.

The action of the citizen's committee of seventy in excluding reporters from its meetings is received with dissatisfaction. It is thought that an investigation of what is believed to be secret frauds should have no secrecies about its own proceedings.

SWORD FOR GEN. ULRICH.

Ten Assafians in this city recently contributed one thousand dollars for the purchase of a sword to be presented to General Ulrich, the heroic defender of Strasburg.

ROSENZWEIG TO GET JUSTICE NEXT WEEK.

The bills of indictment against Rosenzweig, the abortionist, have not yet been laid before the grand jury. The District Attorney says that for certain reasons, not necessary to be made public, will not send up the indictments until Tuesday next. No unnecessary delay will occur, however, and the end of next week Rosenzweig will have justice done him.

ADVANCE IN PRICE OF NAILS AND SPIKES.

An important and general meeting of the nail and spike manufacturers of the United States was held in Philadelphia yesterday. From one of the New York delegates the following particulars have been obtained: A proposition was made and unanimously adopted on opening the meeting, to advance the wholesale prices of all sizes of American made nail and spikes, which was carried into effect, making the sales of two hundred to one thousand kegs a reduction of ten per cent., and on all sales of five hundreds of one thousand kegs fifteen per cent. per hundred weight. On all sales South of Baltimore no less to be than five hundred kegs. Foreign manufacturers are at liberty to establish their own prices.

THE POST ABORTION CASE.

The inquest on the body of Emily A. Post was brought to a close to-day. The jury rendered the following verdict: "We find that the death of Emily A. Post was superinduced by brutal and inhuman treatment, received at the hands of Doctor Perry and Madame Van Buskirk, and we further find that P. K. Post, Sr., Minerva Post and P. K. Post, Jr., in aiding their daughter and sister in the crime, are known mail practitioners, were guilty of an unnatural outrage, a violation of the public trust and neglect of natural duty." The father, mother and brother of Miss Post have been held to answer by the coroner.

TROTTING AT ALLIANCE.

Closing Day of the Annual Meeting of the Park Association

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

ALLIANCE, O., September 8, 1871.

There was fine sport here to-day. The track was fast as ever, and there was a large crowd and heavy betting of pools. In the 2:30 purse race, for horses that never trotted better than three minutes, there were twelve entries. The race was won by E. G. White's bay mare in three straight heats, W. H. Crawford's b. g. St. Vincent and F. H. Keith's b. g. Pelo taking second and third money. The best time was 2:29¼. Hart's mare was the favorite, and won easy. Three horses started in the 2:24 class, but after the first heat, W. F. Archer's Kitty coming in a good second, but broke badly on the second heat and was distanced. Mr. Vincent trotting second in the other two.

Second race, purse $100 open to all trotting horses; John Hines entered g. g. Silver Stone; W. F. Archer entered s. g. Dick; C. Wolf entered b. m. Lady Fay; E. Hilands, jr., Worrell entered b. m. Lady Carey, formerly Lady Crowder. Wilson as the favorite previous to four quarters of a heat, and was distanced the first heat. Dick won, taking the first, second and fourth heats, Silverstone taking the third place throughout. Time, 2:36, 2:29¼, 2:33, 2:40¼. No sooner finished than the third annual, closing, after four days of good racing and pleasing sport.

THE WEATHER.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 9, 1871, 7:30 P. M.

The barometer continues low on the Pacific coast, and has fallen slightly from Nebraska to Lake Huron and northwards. An area of low barometer probably exists north of Wisconsin. The highest pressure, which was central in Michigan, has moved steadily southeastward, and is now over New Jersey. The center of disturbance on the Georgia coast has moved to the east and northeast, and clouds with northeast winds prevail on the South Atlantic coast. Rain is probable. Threatening weather has generally cleared away in the Southern States. Cool weather with northwesterly winds and falling temperature have continued in the Middle and Eastern districts. Threatening weather and cloudiness are reported from Minnesota to Lake Superior.

PROBABILITIES.

Brisk southerly winds will probably continue on the upper lakes to-night, with cloudy and threatening weather, but little or no rain; clear weather with southerly winds for the Gulf States, followed by cloudy weather on Saturday, and clear and pleasant weather for the Middle and Eastern States.

POLITICAL.

Platform of New Jersey Republicans.

NEW YORK, September 8.—The New Jersey Republican Convention adopted resolutions renewing pledges of fidelity to the Republican party; endorsing the fifteenth amendment as in theory and ennobling in practice, and opposing all attempts to blot it from the record of the country's progress; declaring the Republican party pledged to economy in the expenditure of the public money, to good faith in the payment of the debt, to a careful fostering of all branches of trade and industry, to wholesome laws, to a pure and learned judiciary and upright administration of the laws; declaring that the party in supporting Grant's administration in the warmest terms, and declaring in such reform of the civil service as shall make appointments to public office depend on fitness and character, and allow removals for cause only.

NON-EPISCOPAL METHODISM.

Proceedings of the Pittsburgh Conference.

Special Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Commercial.
ELDERSVILLE, PA., September 7, 1871.
SECOND DAY.

The Conference convened at nine o'clock, the usual opening religious exercises being observed.

Several of the standing committees ordered yesterday afternoon were announced by the President. Among those were the Committees on Itinerancy and Orders, Fraternal Visitations, Boundaries, Statistics, Missions, Sabbath Schools, Book Concern, &c.

Much time was consumed in electing the Committee on Pastoral Relations, which the discipline requires shall be done by ballot. The duties of this committee are to inquire as to what charges have been prearranged for pastoral supplies, judge of the propriety thereof, and prepare a draft of the pastoral arrangements for the year to come, and present the same to the Conference for revision and adoption.

Rev. Alex. Clark, who was appointed chairman of the committee on College Interests, being obliged to leave before Conference closed, asked and obtained a release from serving as such, and Prof. Hall, J. McCarty, D. Herr, David Jones, J. B. Lucas, E. A. Brindley, T. H. Colhouer, V. W. Wallace, Alex. Clark, C. K. Sellwagon, S. J. Crowther, D. Coolaugh, M. Lee, P. T. Conoway, J. Hodgkinson, N. W. Wilson and H. B. Knight had their names called, and after giving an account of their charges, were officially approved.

After the transaction of some miscellaneous business and the giving out of appointments, Conference adjourned until one o'clock in the afternoon.

There are several visiting brothers in attendance, among others, Rev. C. H. Williams, Corresponding Secretary of the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church. This gentleman is a member of the North Illinois Conference, and regarded as a man of much organizing and administrative ability. It is expected that his denomination will push, with more vigor than in the past, the work of missions, especially in the new States and Territories.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The afternoon session was chiefly occupied with the consideration of some minor reports. The subject matter of these being of no public interest, their correspondent omitted to send with his bare statement of the business transacted.

The Conference adjourned, at 5 o'clock, was fixed upon as the time of holding a Conference Missionary meeting in the interests of the General Board. One young man was recommended to the Board of Ministerial Education as a suitable person to receive aid in obtaining an education for the ministry.

Alex. Clark, editor of the *Methodist Recorder*, offered the following, which was adopted, the following pastors and forty-four petit jurors for the October term of the United States District Court, to be held in this city.

WHEREAS, The people and towns of this country, a large and growing German population is making their homes in every section of the land, and whereas, the people, owing to recent political and ecclesiastical changes in Europe, are inclined more than ever toward a Republican form of government in church affairs; therefore,

Resolved, That we recommend pastors and other friends of New Testament Christianity throughout the land to adopt the scheme now encouraged by many of German birth and associations, to enter the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church, with a view to reach its native tongue and customs, this important class of people.

Resolved, That we command this interest of the Board of Ministerial Education, and also to the favorable consideration of our churches.

When the name of the venerable Dr. B. P. Laleby was reached, he stated that such was the state of his health, he was obliged, after fifty-one years of itinerant toil, to ask a superannuated relation. With deep emotion the request was made and granted.

RUSSIA'S HASTE IN ARMING.

Why Bismarck Desires to Make War on Her.

The *Patrie* states upon information received from St. Petersburg that the Russian Government armaments, their political status, by whom recommended and by whom appointed, and to report the same at the next meeting for further action by the association. The members of this sovereign body propose to revolutionize things generally. Their proposition to fill many of the some clerical vacancies which shall be filled by men of their own stripe is a novelty. Their resolutions here are generally combinations of weaklings, who endeavor to receive through social influences and clerical favor what they cannot get by their positions which they individually could never obtain, and in this present instance by the most disgraceful means. The justice of this explanation is sustained by the fact that members, who are generally put to bed early, have been attacked in a much smaller ratio than adults. On the other side, it may be said that several members were turned out of bed in order to do their wooing by the "sweet silver light of the moon," have been very largely the subjects of the disease.

PETROLEUM AS FUEL.

Its Successful Application at Chicago.

A Chicago firm, Messrs. Whipple & Dickerson, claim to have satisfactorily demonstrated that crude petroleum can be employed as fuel for steam, and thereby an agency has been secured which will completely revolutionize the modern process of raising steam. This is accomplished, it is said, by the utilizing of well-known chemical facts.

"A compound of naphtha refiners, in contact with each other, almost compose the whole machinery. Crude petroleum, by the application of heat, is converted by means of superheated steam in the other is reported into spheroidal state, and burns from jets, the ordinary gas, with the following points of difference: First, a great saving in fuel is made, because a much greater is obtained, except from the oxy-hydrogen blow-pipe flame, than from any other source. The gas being chemically supplied, and, of course, chemically combined in burning, leaving no residue, it will be seen that the labor of the fireman is reduced to require for the same purpose; can be extinguished in a moment, and relighted in the same way, and in an hour afterward by turning the cock on again."

On Saturday last the operations of the new fuel was tested in the presence of a number of invited guests. A tug had been fitted up for the purpose, the boiler being built without a fire-box, and at a cost of $400 less than would have been required for a coal boiler. The tug was got under way and moved along at a good rate with only twenty gallons of petroleum and eighty pounds of steam, when she reached a given destination. No smoke issued from the chimneys, and this was remarked as all that was unusual in the working of the boat. The boat was put to better and engine were inspected, the heat found to be intense, and the light from the furnace dazzling. All present were satisfied as to the power and adaptability of the new fuel. To illustrate how perfectly the boat could be controlled, another start was made, with seventy pounds of steam. After running for some twenty minutes the Captain turned off the gas and shut off the fuel. It is stated that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company intend to test the new system on their locomotives on steep grades, and the gentlemen interested express no doubt of its complete success.

SOLDIERS' REUNION.

Annual Reunion of the 104th Ohio Regiment at Massillon.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

MASSILLON, O., September 8, 1871.

The annual reunion of the Ohio One Hundred and Fourth Ohio Volunteer Infantry, held in Massillon to-day, was well attended, about three hundred of the regiment being present. The members gathered at the Opera House at one P. M., where they listened to an introductory address by the Hon. A. C. Wales, responded to by Major Biddle, who was followed by Lieutenant-Col. Cope, who delivered the annual address to the regiment. After the addresses they formed on Erie street and marched through the principal streets of the city to Central Park, where the old regiment were here from Wellsville, Ravenna and Akron, and a number of the soldiers from Akron, Salem and Massillon. Wellsville is the appointed place for the next meeting. The city was beautifully decorated with flags, and everything passed off pleasant.

FIREMEN'S CONTEST.

The Buckeye Hook and Ladder Boys of Bucyrus Beat the Stars of Marion.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

BUCYRUS, O., September 8, 1871.

The contest between the Marion Star Hook and Ladder Company of Marion, O., and the Buckeyes of this place, for the champion ladder, won by the latter at Findlay, O., on the 6th inst., was repeated, and resulted in the defeat of the Stars. Time of the Stars, forty seconds; Buckeyes, thirty-seven and three-quarters.

BURGLARS ABROAD.

Postoffice and Drug Store in Mt. Pleasant Robbed.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

MT. PLEASANT, PA., September 8, 1871.

On the night of the 6th the Postoffice and drug store of C. W. Slater, in this place, was broken into and robbed. The safe was stolen in entirety, at first twenty-five to thirty dollars. No account of the parties up to this time.

CALIFORNIA ELECTION.

The News Grows Better and Better.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 7.—The Republican majority in San Francisco is from two to three thousand. The State will give at least six thousand majority.

RAILWAY MATTERS.

THE ALABAMA AND CHATTANOOGA ROAD TURNED OVER TO A RECEIVER.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., September 8.—Chancellor Key to-day, on application of the attorney for the State of Alabama, gave a flat turning the Alabama and Chattanooga Railroad and rolling stock in Tennessee over to John H. Gindrat, receiver of Alabama, as receiver of the courts in his decision he stated that if the property of the road in charge of the receiver of another State was attached within its jurisdiction, or would receive the property, and he expressed a like amity and comity from the courts of other States. Gindrat, Chancellor Cantrell, Governor Lindsay, of Alabama, for $200,000, and is now in possession of the road, rolling and other machine shops at Decatur, Ala.

The Alabama and Chattanooga Railroad in Tennessee. The only obstacles now to the running of the road are the attachments in this county, Ga. An application for a receiver similar to that just decided will be made by Alabama, it is to be presented in Trenton, Ga., September 12th, and will undoubtedly be decided in a similar manner, so that trains may be expected to run from the State line to Chattanooga. The greatest satisfaction prevails at the prospect of running the road. It is also safe for the State to do so, as the road, as all parties are anxious to enjoy its benefits.

NARROW-GAUGE PROJECT.

LOUISVILLE, September 8.—A project is on foot for the building of a narrow-gauge railway from Paducah, Kentucky, to Paris, Tennessee, and is received with much favor along the line of the proposed route.

C. McCoy, of Monroe township, Coshocton county, while digging a well recently, discovered a vein of iron ore about four feet thick, and of good quality. It is thought it will yield sixty per cent. of iron. A company has already been organized to work it. Great excitement prevails in that region.

Avoid Mixed Coffees.

Consumers that want choice roast coffees should buy Jenkins & Bro.'s coffee. No low grades or mixtures are used to reduce the price.

SECOND EDITION.

WASHINGTON.

Steam Boilers Must be Tested.

New Rules for Steamboat Engineers.

The Outrages on the Gulf.

Mexican Authorities Disclaim Responsibility.

Trick of Clerks to Secure Easy Places.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 8, 1871.

New Regulations for Steamboat Engineers.

Some time since the steamboat E. E. Lee exploded her boilers near the mouth of Cape Fear river. A convention of steamboat inspectors was then held, and the report of the investigation yesterday forwarded to Supervising Inspector Bulkup. From this it appears that the cause of the accident was attributable to the fact that the engine was kept employed for consecutive hours by the pilot in obeying signals. Accordingly Mr. Belknap will shortly issue instructions to all engineers of steamboats that they are in all cases and under all circumstances to apply the proper tests to the boilers at regular intervals, even if in so doing they will be compelled to disobey the pilot's signals. The penalty for the non-observance of this regulation will be the forfeiture of license.

Delinquent Internal Revenue Officers to be Prosecuted.

The Attorney General has issued instructions to the district attorneys of the various United States Courts which held fall sessions, to immediately institute suits against all revenue collectors who are deficient in their accounts or have balances charged against them.

Nomination Accepted.

Josiah Given, formerly Commissioner of Internal Revenue, has announced his acceptance of the nomination for District Attorney, lately tendered him by the Republicans of the Des Moines Judicial District.

The Trouble on the Gulf.

Senor Marascal, Mexican Minister at this point, has long been an earnest advocate for establishing a telegraph line between Indianola and Brownsville, so that there might be uninterrupted telegraphic communication between the Mexican capital and Washington. He has always maintained that such a project would be highly instrumental in preserving a good understanding between the said republics, inasmuch as the carrying out of this plan presupposed a proper distance of many on the part of the American Congress, the senor has never made such headway in perfecting his scheme. He states that if his line were in operation now, the Gulf outrages would long since have been apologized for, and his government would have learned of the affair in time to have tendered some assistance ere this in capturing the offenders. As it is, nothing has been received by the legation from Mexico, which hastens to disclaim any responsibility on the part of the Mexican government for these outrages. He says it has been the intention of the Mexican authorities to thoroughly police both the Pacific Coast and Gulf, but unfortunately internal dissensions paralyzed the efforts of the government, and made it a financial impossibility to carry out effective measures.

A Trick to Secure Easy Places.

That sagest combination, which assumes for itself the high sounding title, the Illinois State Republican Association, at its meeting last evening appointed a committee for the purpose of ascertaining the names of those who drain the Treasury of the Government, their political status, by whom recommended and by whom appointed, and to report the same at the next meeting for further action by the association. The members of this sovereign body propose to revolutionize things generally. Their proposition to fill many of the some clerical vacancies which shall be filled by men of their own stripe is a novelty. Their resolutions here are generally combinations of weaklings, who endeavor to receive through social influences and clerical favor what they cannot get by their positions which they individually could never obtain, and in this present instance by the most disgraceful means. The justice of this explanation is sustained by the fact that members, who are generally put to bed early, have been attacked in a much smaller ratio than adults. On the other side, it may be said that several members were turned out of bed in order to do their wooing by the "sweet silver light of the moon," have been very largely the subjects of the disease.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Quarter Sessions—Judge Sterrett.

In the case of the Commonwealth vs. H. B. Walker, reported yesterday, the jury reported a verdict of guilty of assault and battery.

Thomas Rooney, indicted jointly with James Logan and Ben Prothenow, entered a plea of *nolle contendere*, and was sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution and undergo an imprisonment of ten days in the county jail.

In the case of the Commonwealth vs. August Harting, indicted for larceny, the jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

Thomas Jackson, indicted for larceny on oath of Charles A. Wishart, entered a plea of guilty, and was sentenced to the workhouse for six months.

The same defendant indicted for larceny on oath of James King entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to six months in the Work House.

William Seidenstricker indicted for larceny on oath of R. G. Laughlin entered a plea of guilty and sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution and to two years' imprisonment in the County Work House.

The next case taken up was that of the Commonwealth vs. Joseph Dickson, indicted for assault and battery on oath of George Hall. Dickson was a police officer, and some months since got into a difficulty with Hall and another man whom he was trying to arrest for disorderly conduct. The case was tried at last term but the jury failed to agree and were discharged.

TRIAL LIST FOR MONDAY.

Commonwealth against

Celia Burns,
Mrs. S. Thompson,
Eliza Congher,
Philip Hoffman,
Charles Boyle,
John Slack,
Wm. J. Starr,
Wm. McAndrew,
Henry Seitz,
Pat. McCullough et al.,
August F. Raben,
Charlotte Davis,
Benj. Louther,
Charles Davis,
Gottfried Steinhauser,
Thomas Henderson,
Cornell's Dougherty et al.,
Israel Klingensmith,
James Brown,
James Morris,

Common Pleas Court—Judge McCandless.

The case of Palmer vs. Hostetter, taken up on Monday, was resumed yesterday and submitted to the jury, but a verdict had not been agreed upon when court adjourned.

The next case taken up was that of A. R. Johnson vs. G. C. Hamilton, action to recover money alleged to have been lost or stolen at a hotel in Allegheny, of which the defendant was proprietor. Jury out.

United States District Court—Judge McCandless.

In the United States District Court yesterday, Judge McCandless decided on the following cases: Allegheny and Oliver Donaldson, of Clarion county, were adjudged bankrupts on creditors petitions. In default of appearance.

Judge McCandless directed an order to issue for a venire for twenty-three grand jurors and forty-four petit jurors for the October term of the United States District Court, to be held in this city.

A CARRIAGE EXCURSION

In the Pennsylvania Highlands.

On the 24 instant a genial and congenial party of male and female tourists, hailing from Pittsburgh, Tyrone and Philadelphia, accompanied by a numerous local party, left Bellefonte, Centre county, Pa., in fair women, made an excursion in carriages from the pleasant mountain village of Loretto, on the line of the Pennsylvania Railroad, to Cresson Springs. The trip was highly enjoyed and the excursionists parted with impressions of each other not soon to be effaced from the tablets of memory. Mr. J. J. O'Leary, who favors us with these particulars, has returned, looking fresh and ruddy from his mountain jaunt.

Telegraphing for Steinway Pianos.

Only a few years ago, before the advent of the Steinways, people would have laughed at the idea of telegraphing for pianos by the dozen. The success of these world famous pianos is so astonishing as to necessitate a resort to the *lightning machine* to meet in time the pressing demands of trade. It is hardly six months since the Messrs. Steinway built their warerooms filled to overflowing with Steinway pianos, and already they are compelled to replenish their stock by freights from the Atlantic seaboard. Although the other makers boast of making pianos "exactly like" the Steinways, there is a marked difference in the tone of them; the vast superiority of the Steinways being so palpable to the ear that no one can fail to detect it. There is no other piano made through such workmanship, but of essential differences and improvements which are known to the Steinways only which belongs only to them. The Messrs. Steinway manufacture every part and portion of their instruments themselves. They have their own foundry for casting the iron frame, etc., while other makers buy the machinery, action, keys, keyboards, dampers, etc., *ready-made*. All the wood or the actions are of rosewood, which is cut personally by one of the Messrs. Steinway in the log and then sawed, under his direction, into the necessary boards. This is the secret of the wonderful uniformity of the tone and touch of all their pianos, and the reason why that there never was a Steinway Piano where the sounding board has cracked.

Add to all these advantages that the Messrs. Steinway have a monopoly of Wood reed, so much better than eastern pieces and on accommodating terms, and you would have any other than the Steinway Piano?

Books and Stationery.

One of the most popular and extensively patronized book and stationery establishments in this city is that of Messrs. Weldin & Co. The senior partner, Messrs. Weldin & Co. make a specialty of school books, and parents, teachers or scholars will find a full and complete stock of school books, ranging from the lowest to the highest primary grades. All the text books in the higher branches, as well as a full stock of miscellaneous books, including the latest publications on hand a full stock of stationery, blank books, &c. Messrs. Weldin & Co. fill all orders filled either East or West with as little delay as possible. The firm is composed of energetic men, who by prompt attention to business have a business transactions. Call and examine their stock.

Important Experiment with Oil.

A preliminary experiment, which is shortly to be followed by another on a larger scale, was made yesterday afternoon at the works of Rowland, Bell & Co., on some burning petroleum contained in a receptacle with a surface of about thirty-five square feet. When well under way, a Babcock Fire Extinguisher was brought into action to extinguish the flames, which was done in ten seconds. This experiment was witnessed by a number of gentlemen, with the same success, and it was evident to all who witnessed it, that a vastly greater quantity could be extinguished after all the tests of this invention, which, meanwhile, may be seen at No. 67 Fourth avenue.

Re-Union of Roundheads.

The sixth annual re-union of the Ohio Hundredth Regiment (Roundheads) will be held at Elizabeth, on Thursday next, September 14th, at 2 o'clock P. M. These meetings heretofore have been of the most pleasant character, and it is hoped that all the officers of the society that a full attendance be had. The citizens of Elizabeth are making ample preparations to receive and do honor to the gallant and cordial welcome to all will be extended. General J. H. Devereux will deliver the address, and a grand banquet will be held in the evening, when speeches from the above and invited guests may be expected. The delegation attending from Pittsburgh will leave here on the Brownsville boat, at 8 o'clock on Thursday morning, and return Friday morning.

List of United States Patents

Issued to citizens of Western Pennsylvania for the week ending September 5, 1871, and each bearing that date. Reported weekly for the COMMERCIAL, from the office of David A. Burr, Solicitor of Patents and Attorney in patent cases, Washington City, D. C.:

No. 118,684—Lock-Nut; Aaron W. Bunnell, Louisville.

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No. 118,692—Steam engine; John M. Cooper, Pittsburgh.

Transfer of a Mission Sunday School.

The Soho Mission Sunday School, of the M. E. Church, which has for several years been operating in the old school house in the Fourteenth ward, will be transferred from that place to the new school building on Oakland street, Fifth ward. Rev. R. W. H. Evans, Superintendent of the school, and Rev. J. C. High, City Missionary, join in asking all the friends of mission work in the city to be with them, and spend an hour in the reunion and jubilee.

PITTSBURGH FEMALE COLLEGE.—The fall term of this excellent institution is now commencing with flattering prospects. Parents having daughters to educate should call and leave them at the college office, where they will be kindly received and assigned to appropriate classes.

HOW TO SAVE.—The *People's Monthly*, now out, contains an article on Savings Banks that should be read by every working man in the country. For sale at all the news stands.

CHEAP HOMES.—All who are interested in this subject should read the article on cheap homes in the *People's Monthly* for September.

CITY MATTERS IN BRIEF.

CITY COUNCILS will hold a semi-monthly meeting on Monday afternoon.

THE Board of Health will hold a meeting this afternoon at two o'clock.

CAPT. GARRISON last evening received two volunteer drunks at the lock-up.

REV. VAN DEMARK announces "The Great City" as the subject of his lecture for to-morrow evening.

THE Council of the borough of East Birmingham will hold a meeting on next Tuesday evening in the hall of the Washington Engine House.

MAYOR BRUSH yesterday fined Mary Ann Scott to the Work House for six months, upon a charge of vagrancy.

THE work on the new engine house on Center avenue, Thirteenth ward, is rapidly approaching completion, and will be ready for occupancy.

A force of the Pittsburgh Mayor's office have been unusually dull during the past few days, and it is hard to scare up even a respectable disorderly conduct case.

A REGATTA, gotten up by Mr. Sam Hall, of the Lake House, at Coulson, will take place on the lake of that name on the 20th inst. Several prizes are offered, and an interesting regatta is looked for.

THE Rev. Dr. Kynett, Methodist Episcopal mission church edifice, on Homewood avenue, will be formally dedicated to-morrow. Rev. T. Stowe, pastor, extends a cordial invitation to the friends of the mission and the public generally to be present.

BRIDGET DALTON was arrested on Saturday afternoon by officer Hamilton on the first train. He wasn't released, however.

THE grand jury, yesterday, returned a true b

The Daily Commercial.

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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

FOR AUDITOR GENERAL,
Col. DAVID STANTON, of Beaver county.
FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL,
Col. ROBERT B. BEATH, of Schuylkill.

COUNTY TICKET.

STATE SENATE.
JAMES L. GRAHAM, Allegheny.
MILES S. HUMPHREYS, South Pittsburgh.
ASSEMBLY.
DAVID N. WHITE, Sewickley.
MATTHEW EDWARDS, Pittsburgh.
JAMES TAYLOR, Pittsburgh.
JOHN GILLFILLAN, Upper St. Clair.
ALEXANDER MILLAR, McKeesport.
J. W. HALLENTINE, Temperanceville.
HYDE R. SAMPLE, Shaler.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
THOMAS M. BAYNE, Bellevue.
ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
J. B. FLACK, Pittsburgh.
COMMISSIONERS.
JOSEPH DILWORTH, Pittsburgh.
JAMES McGUINNIGLE, Chartiers.
TREASURER.
SAMUEL KILGORE, Pittsburgh.
CONTROLLER.
HENRY WARNER, Allegheny.
SURVEYOR.
ROBERT CLUGSTON, Patton.
POOR DIRECTOR.
JAMES G. MURRAY, Upper St. Clair.

CITY TICKET.

MAYOR.
BENJAMIN W. MORGAN.
TREASURER,
CHRISTOPHER L. MAGEE.
CONTROLLER,
ROBERT J. McGOWAN.

THE post of Minister to Turkey being vacant by the resignation of Mr. WAYNE MCVEIGH, Mr. GEORGE H. BOKER, of Philadelphia, has been brought forward for the position. It can be said in his favor that he is fit for it, and would not discredit his country. It can be said, furthermore, that if party services are taken into the account, he is fully entitled to the appointment.

THE reduction of the State debt goes regularly on, the amount of bonds redeemed in August amounting to $114,762, leaving $240,349 in the Treasury applicable to overdue loans, relief rates and interest certificates. At a time when debts—State and Municipal—are as a rule increasing, it is something to note that our State debt is every month growing less—the legitimate result of Republican management.

THE Philadelphia *Inquirer* is persistent in wanting to know "who got the money" which EVANS "retained." This is the question; and for ourselves, having no idea who would be guilty of taking a single cent, we have been expecting the Philadelphia *Press*—which is the "great Pennsylvania paper," you know—would say something to enlighten us. But up to the present moment the editor appears not to have heard of the little "remissness," and our sole object now is to call it to his attention.

MR. GREELEY reached Milwaukee Wednesday evening, breakfasting at Chicago with the Hon. JOHN WENTWORTH, of that city, and the Hon. JOHN B. GRINNELL, of Iowa. Great interest is manifested to see him wherever he goes, and he was met at the Milwaukee depot by a large deputation of citizens. He will proceed to the Green Bay country, stopping at Bethesda Springs, at the request of Mr. CHASE, who is there for his health. He appears to have little to say in public of what he knows about the Presidency, though it is said he is free to give his views to proper persons in private.

OUR Democratic neighbor, the *Post*, has no use for its roosters now-a-days. North Carolina, followed by Montana and Wyoming, furnished no occasion for bringing out the birds, and now the Republican victory in California sends them permanently into retirement. With every election the fortunes of the Democracy grow more desperate. Nor will they be improved by those which are to come off. The reaction which was predicted is nowhere apparent. The country is not yet ready for a change—least of all to the party which sympathized with the rebellion, still embraces in its folds the great body of those who sought to destroy the government, and refuse to acquiesce in the verdict of the great struggle.

SOME weeks ago Dr. HOWE, of Boston, a member of the San Domingo Commission, wrote a letter which was widely printed by the press, expressing his belief that the annexation project was secretly favored by the people of Hayti, as well as openly espoused by the inhabitants of San Domingo itself. But now comes JAMES REDPATH, the biographer of JOHN BROWN, and an intimate friend of the philanthropic Doctor, declaring that if General BUTLER's hatred of the Boston press were heated to a tenfold degree of intensity, it would no more than illustrate the average sentiment of the people of Hayti toward the Government and people of the United States. We should call this detestation of a pretty strong kind. Mr. REDPATH is somewhat addicted to vehement and hyperbolic statement, it is true, but upon this matter his opinions are entitled to considerable weight. He has spent a number of years in Hayti, and is probably as well acquainted with the actual public feeling in San Domingo as the Commissioners themselves. When, therefore, he charges that BAEZ is playing the *role* of a treacherous neighbor in his relations to Hayti, and of a patricide in his relations to us, and characterizes his connection with the annexation project as "nefarious," it is to be taken for granted that he speaks understandingly and upon evidence. We certainly do not want to annex an unwilling people.

A WEEK or two ago the New York *Herald* published what purported to be the contents of a pamphlet issued by the "Southern Association," entitled "Concession, or how the Lost Cause may be Regained and the Independence of the South Secured." We prepared at the time a synopsis of the article for publication in the COMMERCIAL, but observing in the *Herald* of the following day a vehement contradiction and disclaimer from one or two Southerners who happened to be in New York, we concluded not to print it until further proof of its authenticity came to hand. A large number of Republican journals have printed it, however, and the consternation which it has carried into the Democratic ranks may be inferred from the fact that the Democratic National Committee have felt compelled officially to disclaim its authorship, and to intimate that it was concocted by some adroit Republican for the purpose of injuring the Democratic party; while the statement that it was written by "a distinguished Georgian" has brought out ALEXANDER H. STEPHENS, who in a two-column editorial in the Atlanta *Sun*, denies all knowledge concerning it. We are not informed what tests were applied by the National Committee to prove it a forgery, nor does Mr. STEPHENS—who by the way is not the only "distinguished Georgian" capable of such madness as it evinces, however firm may be his belief that he alone answers to the name—disavow the sentiments which it contains. The fact is that even if the pamphlet be, as is without the slightest particle of evidence charged, a Republican roorback, it is nevertheless perfectly true to the spirit of Southern intent, whence the terrible flattering which it has caused in the Democratic dovecote. This scared Democratic disavowal is of itself most damaging. "No matter how closely it resembles our coinage," cry they, "it is not genuine"—and the more difficult it grows to distinguish "t'other from which," the more do they wring their hands and curse the deft-handed workman who has played them so masterly a trick. These good brethren have doubtless a hundred times heard the phrase "true to Nature," and now they have an illustration of it. It is like the wonderful fruit-picture which the artist painted so naturally that the birds came and pecked at it. Counterfeits are successful in the exact degree in which they resemble things genuine.

WE do not wonder that the *Post* continues to roll the EVANS defalcation as a sweet morsel under its tongue. When, in a party where honesty is the rule and rascality the exception, a member is caught tripping, it is just as natural that the dereliction should be seized upon by an organization based on antipodal standards of character and practice, as it is that Congressman ROOSEVELT, of New York city, should be vilified by Tammany as a Judas for the honorable part which he took, at the citizens' reform meeting last Monday, in denouncing the frauds, peculations, venality and iniquity perpetrated by the leagued banditti who call themselves the municipal government. Most conveniently, however, the *Post* chooses to forget that, with three or four insignificant exceptions, every Republican newspaper in the State has denounced the crime and the criminal, and called for such punishment as his offense demands. There has been no attempt to palliate the wrong or to screen the wrong-doer, and this constitutes the difference between the morality of the two parties—a difference as wide as the ends of the earth. An alleged defalcation of three hundred thousand dollars arouses the whole Republican press and people of Pennsylvania. The open theft of millions on millions from the city Treasury of New York, sets all the hireling organs and orators of the Democratic robbers in instant apologetic, defensive or vindicatory motion. Moreover, when warrants were issued by a Republican Governor for EVANS's arrest, he fled to a thieves' den, and appealed to a Democratic Governor for protection. Lashed out of Republican Pennsylvania he finds harbor and succor in Democratic New York, where he hides at this juncture, a fugitive from justice, HOFFMAN thus far failing to deliver him up on the requisition of the Governor of his own State. Should it be decided not to return him to Pennsylvania under arrest, it is not impossible that Tammany may take him under its wing and elect him, for his knavery, to the seat in Congress which, for his honesty, it peremptorily demands that ROOSEVELT shall forthwith resign. Would that suit the *Post*?

WHY THEY ARE CONFIDENT.

Unabashed by the condemnation which upright people throughout the whole land have visited upon the corrupt rulers of New York City, or by the measures which are being taken to bring them to justice, these impudent and infamous offenders, according to our telegraphic dispatches of yesterday, are busying themselves in the preparation of movements looking to their renomination. Already a paper published in the interest of the Ring has presented the names of several Tammany incumbents of office for re-election, among them the name of the chief brigand, TWEED, who is proposed for re-election to the State Senate, and it is said that the gang boast themselves able to secure the return of nearly if not all their men. Nor, humiliating as is the confession, should we be greatly astonished if, notwithstanding the stern uprising of the property holders and citizens of New York, these incarnations of the powers of evil were to bring their boast to pass. They have millions of money to spend, and with it they will buy and bribe on every hand. Past robberies will be made to pave the way for future and vaster thefts. They are in absolute control. They have possession of the Treasury, of the judiciary, of the ballot box, of all the separate and combined elements and agencies of power, and they have also the necessary courage and cunning. They are clear-sighted enough to see that their only chance of escape from the State prison lies in the retention of power at Albany, and they will not yield the fight while a single penny remains or a shred of hope is left to them.

But, great as is the reliance which they place on their stolen ducats, and the promise to their supporters of participation in other spoliations hereafter to be made, we suspect that this is not the principal cause of their confidence. They know, of course, that the thieves and murderers, the shoulder-hitters and ballot-box stuffers, and the whole motley army of scoundrels in their pay, may be counted on to roll up a Tammany majority of thirty, fifty, or seventy thousand, according to the necessities of the case, unless indeed the interposition of the Federal Government to secure an impartial election should checkmate this well-worn strategy, as they fear may be the case; but, whether Federal guardianship be thrown around the polls or not, they rely with absolute certainty on the unanimous support of that element which, a couple of months ago, struck a highwayman's blow at civil and religious liberty, and erected the Pope's tiara on a bludgeon, as GUSSLER erected his cap. One good turn deserves another, and the rancorous, fanatical mob whose bloody bidding TWEED, HALL and CONNOLLY executed with such cheerful alacrity, will not in November forget the services of July—as why indeed should they, seeing that the Roman Church is a political system antagonistic to a republican form of government, (a fact pertinently illustrated by its devotion to Tammany), that more monies remain yet to be filched from the public Treasury for division among Catholic schools and other institutions, and that other anniversaries of Boyne will come round, and other similar occasions arise? Whatever else is in doubt, it has been proved that HALL, CONNOLLY and Company may be thoroughly relied on in any crisis precipitated in this country by adherents of the political hierarchy of the Catholic Church, and this is the ground on which they will probably be sustained.

But while, so far as New York is concerned, the people of the country are powerless to avert this result, they are not powerless as regards the expression of their convictions respecting the principles which underlie the question. The people of Pennsylvania, for instance, cannot prevent the Irish Catholics of New York from voting *en masse* for Tammany in November, but they can at least put themselves upon the record against the political ally and dependent of Tammany in the Keystone State on the second Tuesday in October. And we think they will do it.

Penn Avenue.

Although the respectful petition, signed by the great body of property owners interested, to the Penn Avenue Commissioners, requesting them to resign, that the work might be urged forward with greater energy, was made a number of days ago, no attention has been paid to it. In fact, as we are assured, the force of workmen has been diminished rather than increased, and there is no prospect, unless stronger measures are adopted, of any improvement on the part of either the Commissioners or contractors. Such measures, we are assured, will be adopted by the citizens interested, who are prepared at whatever cost or trouble, to maintain their rights and those of the public at large. The action or inaction of the Commissioners, or the majority of them, is a matter of course very freely discussed, and not always in a favorable light, and the conviction is quite general that the time had come for the movement which was inaugurated by the citizens in their petition. It is not doubted that, with proper management, the Avenue might be rendered available to the public and all the advantages of the improvement secured at an early day, whereas, under present management, there is little probability that the Avenue will be passable for months to come, or during the season when the public will suffer the greatest inconvenience.

AN immense cargo of tea, estimated at no less than 2,000,000 pounds, was brought to San Francisco from China and Japan on Monday last, in the Alaska, of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's line. Her whole space (excepting the hold) was chartered for the cargo. As the consumption of tea in the United States amounts to about 42,000,000 pounds per annum, it would seem that this one steamer has brought into the port of San Francisco one-twentieth, nearly, of our whole annual consumption of tea. The cost in China and Japan of such a cargo, it is stated, was probably not less than $800,000, and may have reached $1,000,000, in gold. Its value in this country, including freight, insurance, duties and exchange, is probably $1,500,000 in currency. And besides the tea the Alaska carried raw silk in considerable quantities, adding perhaps another half a million to the value of her cargo.

THE New Jersey Republican State Convention met on Thursday, and nominated for Governor Cornelius Walsh, of Trenton. This gentleman has been a prominent and steadfast member of the Board for many years in its organization, and is also largely and honorably identified with the manufacturing and industrial interests of his State. He is said to possess unusual executive ability, while even his bitterest opponents admit that he would administer the affairs of the Commonwealth with unfaltering integrity. Of his election there is no doubt, provided that the Republicans of the State roll up their sleeves for the struggle, and address themselves to work in manly earnest.

REFERRING to the growing proportions of the war of the people of New York City against the robber Ring, the *Standard* inquires, "Where is George Wilkes?" and says that his brain and name would be a tower of strength to the movement. We do not know where he is at present. Last winter, however, a certain "distinguished American," unknown to politics and journalism, was disporting himself in a Right Oriental fashion in Egypt, in company with a certain nephew of his uncle, both of whom have in different ways earned a considerable amount of newspaper mention. But we believe he left the Orient some time ago.

VIENBRUN, a man greatly renowned for his strength, was killed at Boulogne on August 21, while performing before a large audience, in a building erected on the sands at the back of the Casino. His great feat was the sustaining on his shoulder of six hundred weight cannon, while it was being fired by his assistant. On this occasion the assistant applied the match too soon. Vienbrun had time to settle himself into his usual position, and when the discharge took place, the cannon jerked violently aside, instead of resting in the usual way. The concussion felled the unfortunate cannon-holder, and inflicted fearful injuries on the right side of his head, from which he died in a very short time.

THE exports from Philadelphia to foreign ports in August amounted in gold value to $4,171,645, against $1,629,936 same month last year. The exports of petroleum and its products from Philadelphia for the eight months ending with August reached 39,787,347 gallons, valued at $8,157,511, against 29,723,904 gallons, valued at $7,586,063, same time last year, and 19,667,589 gallons, valued at $6,872,719, same time the preceding year.

GENERAL AND PARTICULAR.

Accident has considerable to do with the most important scientific discoveries. A gentleman in Bingham, Utah, who is sinking a shaft with the expectation of finding gold in a canon, some time ago nailed a piece of sheet iron up to keep the water from dripping on the men at work. After it had thus served its purpose for some three weeks, he took it down, and found, to his astonishment, that it was covered more than an inch thick with gold, silver and copper, with a little iron, which had been in the water in solution, and became precipitated by being brought in contact with the sheet iron. The silver was over $300 to the ton, and the gold over $800, besides the copper.

A New York lady who has recently returned from a tour in China, whither she went to obtain information about tea, and where she penetrated far beyond treaty boundaries, reports that she met with no serious obstacles in the course of her trip; that she visited the tea districts both in China and Japan as freely as she could have the hop-growing regions of New York; that there is the same difference between different kinds of tea that there is between different kinds of peaches, and just as much depends upon soil, kind, growth, right time for picking, method of preparation, keeping and the like; and that we are forced to be content with an adulterated article because we will not pay the price for that which is pure. Good tea often sells for more in China than what is called good tea can be sold for in America.

From January 1, to August 31, 1871, the number of immigrants arriving at New York was 155,425, the Germans amounting to 59,213, and during the same period of last year 163,898 emigrants arrived, numbering 57,466 Germans, showing as before that during the first eight months of this year, that emigration has decreased 8,403, and the Germans 7,256.

The people of Binghamton, New York, have been shocked by the announcement that a small boy, nine years old, an inmate of the Susquehanna Valley Home, had been found in the street with a block of wood, weighing sixteen pounds, chained and rivetted to his neck. The boy said he had escaped from the so-called "Home," in company with another boy, who ran away similarly chained to a block of wood, and that he had worn the block and chain all Summer. The chain was filed off, and the matter is to be investigated.

A new form of the "charitable collection" swindle has been developed in Philadelphia, which concerns business men who have letter or note paper with printed or engraved headings. Some one had procured a sheet of such paper bearing the imprint of the office of a well-known architect, and upon this a letter had been forged in his name, recommending contributions in aid of an alleged case of distress in an architect's family. This was carried around by a "young lady," who secured quite a large amount of subscriptions, and would have secured more but for the thoughtfulness of one of the contributors, who thought it best to call Mr. McARTHUR's attention to the use of his name in the matter. Such notices should always be sent with all convenient dispatch.

It often happens that people who quit the city for the summer, leaving their houses closed, find on returning that vagrants have used them as lodging houses during their absence, or that thieves have broken through and stolen at will. But it is seldom that a parallel case to a recent one in Detroit occurs. A man, having a suit of rooms to let, put a sign in the window directing applicants where to call, and was astonished to receive no applications. After some weeks he investigated the matter, and found that a woman had moved in, via a back alley, leaving the front door locked and the sign in the window. All applicants were informed that the rooms were just let.

Frequent reference is made to the immense farm of Mr. Michael Sullivant, in Vermillion county, Illinois. It comprises forty thousand acres in one tract, but its extent may be more readily conceived when it is stated that one may ride directly from the owner's house, in more than the one direction he may choose, six miles before leaving his territory. The estate is divided into farms of five thousand acres each, which are known by their numbers. Between each of them runs a boulevard, eighty feet in width, bounded on each side by a fine hedge. Each farm is three inclosed, and intrusted to a tenant, who also has his residence and a requisite number of houses for his laborers. There are four or five hundred men engaged on the entire place. This year ten thousand acres of corn has been grown.

PERSONAL.

The *Golden Age* observes: "It is remarkable that the wealthiest citizens of New York are all at an age when most men are too infirm for affairs, yet they are not only hale and vigorous, but actively engaged in conducting their immense business. Wm. B. Astor is nearly seventy-eight; Alexander T. Stewart, seventy; Cornelius Vanderbilt, seventy-eight; Daniel Drew, seventy-one; Peter Cooper, seventy-nine; George Law, seventy-three. Most of our millionaires are over sixty. The truth is, in order to acquire great wealth, or to keep it in these days, men must be temperate, industrious and regular in their habits; and these are life-preservers. A cool head, a firm will, a vigorous and tenacious grip upon affairs, without which business becomes contemptible, cannot co-exist with the vices that prey on health and shorten the days. So that really men are seldom so well employed as when making money in legitimate ways.

At a morning reception in the Vatican, recently, Pius IX., the "august prisoner," as his friends call him, received a bevy of ladies, after his old style. They were forbidden to enter the presence with gloves, and the Pope, standing among a vast array of ecclesiastics, dressed in a long robe of pure white, with tight skull-cap of the same color, afforded the most perfect picture of health and serenity—in the words of the correspondent, "A florid, jovial old gentleman, with a merry twinkle in his eye, and step scarcely briskly enough under the weight of his seventy-ninth year, and looking like anything but a dispirited captive." Stopping to converse for a few moments with every person present, and speaking with a strong Roman accent, he questioned each in turn as to his native place, his province or country, and so forth, combining himself to the most indifferent topics, and presenting his signet-ring to be kissed.

An English lady of rank, who has been visiting at Bismarck's estate in Varzin, writes that the Prince banishes politics as far as it is possible. His Secretaries have orders to isolate him so far as in their power as much as they can from the outer world. On the day on which the telegraphic wire communicating between his study and Berlin brought the news of Benedetti's rupture with the King of Prussia at Ems, he had given orders not to be pestered with official business. When handed the telegram he was lying on the bank of the little river Wipper, watching some rocks flying over a rookery on the other side. A book which he had been reading lay on the moss beside him. Of all other books in the world, it was Gessner's Death of Abel. There were no visitors at the palace, and the Chancellor and his family were to dine with the village schoolmaster, for whom he entertains extensive sympathy. On glancing over the dispatch, he started to his feet, and, without letting fall a word, rushed to the house. Meeting his wife at the door, he kissed her affectionately, and informed her that in half an hour he must be off to Berlin. "I may not return for another year. Do you see to the luggage, and everything connected with the farms, for I must not be known a thought upon them. War is a few days with France is certain, and I shall accompany the King and Moltke through the campaign." Next day he met William and Fritz at Eschborn on their way from Coblentz to Berlin, where they were going to push forward military preparations.

An exchange says of the masculine accomplishments of certain prominent ladies: Kate Field is a good pistol shot, Miss Hazlett swims like a duck, Elizabeth Cady Stanton is a scientific angler, and it is intimated that Susan B. Anthony plays a rattling game of draw poker.

The Parepa-Rosa company are gathering for the coming season, which gives promise of being the most brilliant one as regards English opera that New York has ever known. Mr. Tom Karl, the new tenor, who brings from Italy as well as from England so excellent a reputation, arrived from London in the City of Washington.

Miss Matilda Heron is about returning to the stage, and has had prepared a noble tragedy from the German, of which she is very fond. She has also secured new plays from the French, suited to her riper years and experience. She will appear at the Grand Opera House during the present season, and is brimful of hope.

James Anthony Froude, who expects soon to visit this country, is in his fifty-third year. His father was Archdeacon in the Church of England. His first published writings were several of the "Lives of the English Saints," issued in 1844, in fifteen volumes. In 1848 he printed his "Nemesis of Faith," which established the author's reputation. In 1856 the first part of the "History of England Under the Tudors" was issued.

Important to Dealers in Perfumery, &c.

Revenue Commissioner Douglass, in an answer to a letter from Philadelphia on the subject, says the law requires that there shall be a stamp or stamps, in value corresponding with the retail price, placed upon every package, box, bottle, pot, phial, and other inclosure containing any essence, extract, toilet water, cosmetic, hair oil, &c., or any similar article by whatsoever name the same have been, now are, or may hereafter be called, known or distinguished, used or applied, or to be used or applied as perfumes or applications to the hair, mouth or skin, made, prepared and sold, or removed for consumption and sale in the United States. He says further that the term "other inclosure" is sufficiently broad and comprehensive to include every kind of package, and holds that the person making or preparing any such articles, and selling or removing for consumption or sale, is equally liable to affix the stamps when the package of inclosure is furnished by his customer, as when he supplies the same himself. Your cologne, bay rum, hair dye, &c., must be sold by "weight or measure," must be stamped according to the price charged for a single package, large or small.

The Catholic Candidate.

[From the Boston Radical.]

To demonstrate the absolute supremacy of the Catholic Church in the Democratic party of Philadelphia, the *Republic* publishes a list of the Democratic Executive Committee of that city. It is composed of twenty-nine members, seven of whom are Catholics. This committee has complete control of the Democratic organization in that city; and the Democracy of Philadelphia dictate both the policy and the nominations of the party in the State. It is said that McCandless, their candidate for Auditor General, is a Catholic. It is certain that he refused to receive a Presbyterian chaplain, sent by Governor Curtin to his regiment, because he preferred a Catholic priest. Whatever his prejudices, he was a tool of the Roman Catholic ring in Philadelphia; was nominated by them over two American Protestants, and may be relied upon to execute their will, if through any mysterious dispensation of Providence he should reach the office of Auditor General.

MICHIGAN has a law of the most stringent character "to prevent the manufacture and sale of spirituous or intoxicating liquors as a beverage," but it is never enforced, and a State convention was held at Detroit last week to adopt some measures for putting the law in operation. Only thirty five delegates attended, and the Detroit *Post* says that "as a popular demonstration in favor of the new law it was a thorough failure." There is no sort of use in passing laws of this character, unless there is a strong public opinion to back them. If the people are not up to the height of the sentiment embodied in the law, the cause of temperance is injured much more than it is benefited.

THE Sunday law question is likely to give the New Jersey politicians, like those of Ohio, a good deal of trouble. The Germans of two or three of the wards of Newark have resolved to ask a written declaration from the candidates for the office of Governor, that they will not assist any agitation to enforce the existing but disregarded Sunday law, but bind themselves, on the contrary, to approve any act of the Legislature which is calculated to abolish this law, which is at variance with the right of free thought and faith. The amount of dodging and squirming this course will occasion among the political leaders may be imagined when it is remembered that Newark has a German population of 30,000 or more.

DR. DAWSON has professionally visited Colonel McCook, the Democratic candidate for Governor, and reports to official headquarters that the "grave symptoms have almost entirely disappeared." The doctor thinks, however, that McCook needs a month's rest to restore him to his usual health. It is understood that the Executive Committee, wishing to allow a liberal margin on this medical allowing, will positively prohibit his speaking for five weeks from to-morrow night.—*Cincinnati Chronicle, Monday.*

Mrs. Sheddy Rebuked.

In an age when snobbery and sheddyism have it pretty much their own way in "society," it is extremely refreshing to come across an instance like this. A number of young ladies, school teachers of New York city, who had been spending their vacation at a seaside hotel on Long Island, were in the habit of participating in the parlor "hops," which of course constituted an important feature of the evening's diversion. A recent fashionable arrival in the person of a lady who was wealthy enough to buy out the whole establishment, however, caused a change in the programme. The lady objected to association with school teachers, and the latter were requested to refrain from joining in the dance; and like sensible young ladies they are, served their own dignity by refusing to enter into a controversy with the lady of "many stamps." But the circumstance coming to the knowledge of the landlord, he laid the subject before a lady guest of superior intelligence and high position, who speedily reversed the order of the dancing parties, and the name of the lady who objects to the society of school teachers has been dropped from the roll of the fair revelers who assemble at the parlor "hops" in that hotel. "Served her right" will be the remark of every true woman throughout the country.

The New York Court House Job.

Writing of the frauds of Tammany, "oath," correspondent of the Chicago *Tribune* says:

"Why do not the Tammany leaders, as a mere matter of pride and to still clamor, finish the new Court House edifice?"

I put this question to a Tammany man. "Why?" he said, "Because Dick Connolly, when they voted $500,000 two years ago to finish it, stole all but $20,000 before they had drawn against the appropriation. Last year they voted $1,500,000 to finish the work, and Connolly, before they could touch the money, had stolen all but $300,000.

The New York court house could be built by any honest set of discretion in the United States for $1,000,000, but it has cost as much as the Treasury at Washington, or upwards of $7,000,000. And there it stands, perfectly suspended, a monument of nothing but civic impotence and crime. It is a white marble building. In Corinthian architecture, about half, or less than half, the size of the Chicago County and City Hall. Neither of its portices are completed, and the dome does not appear. Yet in this forlorn structure there are charges for carpets alone of $673,772 49, which is more than the entire cost of all the furniture in all the national offices at Washington city. Twelve thousand dollars is the largest sum that it would be possible for the carpets of this building to cost.

THE London *Economist* of a late date remarks upon American credit as follows: "The diminution of the quantity of the American debt is certainly telling greatly on the market, and probably the worst effect of the French competition has been felt. There is some likelihood that France will endeavor to keep out of the money market as long as possible, so that she may issue the next large loan required at a lower rate. And if France can borrow once more at five per cent., or less, America will have a better chance than she has lately had, or has at present, of doing the same. There is no doubt, too, that apart from the circumstance of the higher rate of interest current in America, that country ought to borrow at a much cheaper rate than France. She has barely one-half the debt, a much smaller total burden of taxation, and greatly larger resources."

THE horticultural school for women at Newton, which Mr. Charles Barnard lectured about in Springfield, last spring, has been going on with success the past summer. Eight young women studying there have spent from six to eight hours daily in the garden or greenhouse, doing all the work except the heaviest and coarsest, and have supplied the family of a dozen people with vegetables. Each has given from thirty to forty minutes daily to recitations in botany, etc. Now one of them is about to start a greenhouse and garden at Jamaica Plain, and another at some other point near Boston. This is good news, but no more than we expected.—*Springfield Republican.*

It is stated that efforts are being made to form a company for the purpose of building the long-talked of canal around Niagara, the outlet of which is to be a little below Lewiston, on the Niagara river, or at a point on Lake Ontario, some miles from Fort Niagara. Meetings have been held in Youngstown, Lewiston and other places along the frontier, where statements have been made that the amount of capital required is ready to be taken up, and that $30,000,000 have already been subscribed. A convention to consider the scheme will shortly be held at Detroit, and steps taken for the active prosecution of the work.

Still Onward and Upward.

The extraordinary increase that has taken place in the sale of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters during the past year, is another proof that an intelligent people, although they may try all things, hold fast only to that which is good. No amount of puffery can lift inferior articles to the position of standard specifics. To use the words of Tom Payne, they may go up like a rocket, but are sure to come down lugubriously like its extinguished stick. Hundreds of such nostrums have gone up and come down since the introduction of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, nearly the fifth of a century ago. Yet it still remains the supreme tonic of the age. It has not, and never has had a rival in efficacy or popularity, and now stands at the head of all proprietary remedies manufactured on this side of the Atlantic. In every community on this continent, or in South America, it is the accepted remedy for dyspepsia, bilious complaints, constipation, general debility, nervous weakness, and many other unpleasant or dangerous maladies. A medicine so widely extended is of course pirated and imitated by dealers without conscience or integrity.

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Pittsburgh, August 12, 1871.

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Very respectfully,

J. P. SMITH, SON & CO.

DISSOLUTION.

The Firm of BISSELL & CO. has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. LEVI DILLON having retired from the same. The business will be conducted under the same style of firm as heretofore.

BISSELL & CO.

Pittsburgh, September 1, 1871.

IN RETIRING FROM THE FIRM OF BISSELL & CO., I cheerfully recommend the former to the patronage of my friends and the public generally.

LEVI DILLON.

Pittsburgh, September 1, 1871.

DISSOLUTION.

The Partnership of DUFF & DAVIS has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, ROBT. DAVIS retiring from the firm. The business will be continued by SAMUEL DUFF, who will also settle the business of the late firm at the Planing Mill, corner Forty-sixth and Hatfield streets, Seventeenth ward.

Pittsburgh, September 5, 1871.

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Cologne, Hohlens and Palm Tree.

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Jamaica, St. Croix, New England (Crystal Spring).

Scotch and Irish Whiskies.

Ramsey's (Scotch); Mehan's, (Irish).

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Paul Emil Thomas, Crown, Pure Juice, Oporto and Koester's.

SHERRIES.

Cabinet, Cette, Paul Emil Thomas, Vallette, Crown, Topaz S O P, Harmony, Pale and Stars.

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Marseilles, Cette, Old South Side.

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Gomez (Dark and Sweet), Morastel and Muscatel.

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FINANCE AND TRADE

FRIDAY EVENING, September 8, 1871.

Journals recently received from London comment upon the disposition of the public to speculate in new joint stock companies, and more especially in silver and gold mining stocks. In the Utah silver mining districts British capital is making liberal investments. Mining experts are there and in Colorado and Nevada making special reports on gold and silver mining properties in those regions with the view of inducing the investment of British capital into them. Late advices from Europe state that a mining expert will be here at the end of September or beginning of October to report on Utah silver mining properties, and representing heavy British capitalists who are desirous of investing in that region to work the silver mines with the best appliances of capital and scientific practical skill in mining. The unsettled political condition of European nations and governments is forcing the attention of capitalists there to the United States for a safe and profitable employment of their capital. The tide of European capital has set in powerfully toward the United States, and it is likely so to continue for many years, perhaps permanently. There is no doubt that the material properties of the United States offer an unlimited field for the safe and profitable employment of capital and skilled labor.

—The New York *Evening Post* says: Our reason for the continued ease in the money market is the employment by the speculators at the Stock Exchange of a vast amount of foreign credit, which has been obtained in the form of borrowing sterling bills, the large speculators hypothecating for the same the stocks which they respectively hold. No large money remains idle standing in the European markets little is to be feared from the operation. It should be remembered that this is a form of expansion, in the way of what Wall street owes, which does not appear in the statements of the city banks published weekly.

—Messrs. Ira B. McVay & Co. report the following quotations of Government bonds in New York today, as furnished them by Jay Cooke & Co., their correspondents:

	Morning.	Noon.	Clos'g.
U. S. Bonds of 1881	119	119	118⅝
U. S. Bonds of 1862	115¼	115½	115¼
U. S. Bonds of 1864	115¼	115½	115¼
U. S. Bonds of 1865	115¼	115¾	115¼
U. S. Bonds of 1865 (new)	114¼	114¾	114½
U. S. Bonds of 1867	114¼	114¾	114½
U. S. Bonds of 1868	114¼	114¾	114½
10-40s			
Gold	113¾	113⅝	113⅝

—James T. Brady & Co., corner of Fourth avenue and Wood street, quote United States securities in New York to-day as follows:

Gold	113⅝
United States 6s of 1881	118½
United States 5-20s of 1862	115
United States 5-20s of 1864	115
United States 5-20s of 1865	115
United States 10-40s	113⅝
United States 5-20s, January and July, 1865	114¼
United States 5-20s, January and July, 1867	114¼
United States 5-20s, January and July, 1868	114¼
Union Pacific Railroad	103¼
Central Pacific Railroad	
Currency Pacifics	

—The following table, made up from dispatches received at J. W. Kennedy's Stock Rooms, Apollo building, No 80 Fourth avenue, shows the prices of Railway stocks, Gold, etc., at the various sessions of the New York Stock Exchange during the day:

September 8, 1871.	10 A.M.	11 A.M.	12 M.	1:30 P.M.	2:30.	4:30
C. & H.	101½	102	102	102⅜	101¾	101¾
Do. Scrip	96⅜	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝	96	96
Pref.	94½	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝	94⅜	94⅜
Reading	116	115⅝	115⅝	115⅝	115⅛	115⅛
Hudson	132	132	132	132	132	132
Mich. Cent.	129			129		
Lake Shore	112½	112⅝	112⅝	112⅝	112⅝	112⅝
Illinois Cent.	124	124	124			
Chic. & Pitts.	95¾	96	96	96	125	125
Do. pref.	73⅜	73¾	73⅝	73⅝	73⅝	73⅝
Ft. W. & C.	114	114	114	114	114	114
Tol. & Wabash	49½	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝
Do. pref.						
Cleve. & Pitts.	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
Fort Wayne	87⅞	87⅞	87⅞	87⅞	87	87
Ohio & Miss.	31	31	31	31		
Chic. & Alton		121		121		
Do. pref.		130		130		
R., I. & Pitts.				109¾		
N. Y. Central		99½		99¾		
Canton		68½		68¾		
W. U. Tel.		64¾		64¾		
Quicksilver		27½		27½		
Pacific Mail	57¾	57¾	57¾	57¾	57⅝	57⅝
Adams Ex.				58		
Wells-Fargo		55½		56		
American Ex.		60		60		
U. S. Ex.	113¾	113¾	113¾	113¾	113¾	113¾
Gold						

—The Philadelphia *Inquirer* of yesterday says: In the stock market there was a further decline in business, a more active inquiry prevailed for all classes of securities, and the transactions were more evenly distributed than on Tuesday. While the activity is great, the progress in prices is surprisingly slow to those who bought short and are directing the movement in progress. Indeed, the current of affairs is not following the exact course prescribed for it; even the wealthiest factions of experienced operators cannot guard effectually against the nice and contingencies and mutations of that most uncertain of all fields of enterprise. Instead of flowing smoothly in the Reading channel, as was prophesied and did for a short time, it overflowing its banks—the current of speculation has burst its bounds and sent off streams into Pennsylvania and Oil Creek, weakening the power of the parent source. Though less active in point of actual business done, Pennsylvania is provoking a formidable rival to Reading in the estimation of the outside public, who are quite as anxious to secure a fair profit from any promising source as the great leaders of the market are eager to keep the support a particular favorite to the neglect of all other investments.

Yesterday 5,500 shares of Pennsylvania were disposed of at 62½; and 63⅜, an advance of ⅝. The purchasers of Pennsylvania were stimulated by the report that at the next semi-annual payment of dividends the directors will declare a profit of 6, instead of 5 ₱ cent., as heretofore; and that hereafter Pennsylvania might be counted on as a 12 ₱ cent stock. The management of the Pennsylvania are to be congratulated for the rumor, it may or it may not be borne out by events which can only be verified in the future.

—Messrs. Bowen & Fox, brokers and members of the Philadelphia Stock Exchange, furnish the following quotations of the closing prices to-day of the most active stocks:

Pennsylvania Central	62
Philadelphia and Erie	28⅝
Lehigh Navigation	59
Catawissa preferred	49¾
Oil Creek and Allegheny Railroad	62
Lehigh Valley Railroad	64
North Pennsylvania Railroad	50¾
Camden and Amboy Railroad	128½
Schuylkill Navigation	17¾
Reading	67⅝

—James W. Kennedy, Broker, No. 80 Fourth avenue, (Apollo Building), dealer in Government, State and Municipal Bonds; Railroad, Bank, Insurance and Miscellaneous Stocks. Represented daily at the New York Stock Exchange, he buys and sells stocks on a margin for the same commission and on the same terms as the New York brokers. Money to loan in sums of $500 and upwards on collateral or well indorsed promissory notes, or on mortgages on city or Allegheny county real estate.

PRODUCE AND GENERAL MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, FRIDAY, September 8, 1871.

REMARKS.—There has been some excitement in the markets since our last report, particularly in bacon and provisions and groceries, which will be found noted below. Apples are in full supply and a shade lower. Peaches are scarce and higher. Poultry is looking up under light receipts. Flour is held in ample supply by both mills and stores, and prices are fully maintained. Wheat is in rather light receipt, and prices are pretty firm, particularly for good lots, which find ready sale. In groceries the market is very active, and we note an advance on most staples. Butter and eggs are steady at quotations, though the supply of prime fresh of either falls short of the demand. With regard to the fruits and vegetable markets, they are full to overflowing of all seasonable markets.

The following are the ruling quotations in first hands. In the purchase of small lots prices are a fraction charged:

ANTHRACITE COAL.—The current rates are for broken, egg, stove and chestnut, ₱ ton, $5 50.

APPLES.—There has been a slight decrease in apples under heavy receipts. We are reported sales at $2 00@3 ₱ bushel. Some lots of prime choice brought $4 00@4 50. Received 429 bs.

ASHES.—The market is unchanged with the supply fully up to the demand; we quote pearls, ordinary dried 4½@4⅝c; potash 7½c; pearls 9c per ft.

BACON.—There has been a slight advance, and we now quote small white at 2c more; 50 ₱ bush.

BACON AND PROVISIONS.—We offer our figures on several brands of cured meats, and report the market excited and advancing. Receipts 1,550 pieces and 42 tierces bacon. Following are the revised rates: sugared hams 10@15c; sugar cured smoulders 10c; plain shoulders 8½@9c; sugared sides sc; clear sides 9c; breakfast bacon 11@12c; dried beef 19c; mess pork $14 50; city rendered lard, in tierces, 9½@10c; kettle rendered 11@12c ₱ lb.

FEAS.—Upper hearty supplies prices have receded, and we quote sales at $1 15@1 20 ₱ bush.

BLACKBERRIES.—Sales of new picked at 12c ₱ lb.

PEACHES.—Sales of new pealed at 20@25c ₱ lb.

BEESWAX.—There has been a slight decline, and we now quote at 30@33c ₱ lb.

BARREL PORK.—Sales 3 cars 8 doz. at $1 75; $5 50; 15 cars mess 5-3 cans, $20 ₱ per doz.

BROOMS.—The following are the ruling rates of the market: Fancy, $6 50; No. 1, $4 50; No. 2, $3 50; No. 3, $2 75; common, $2 25@2 50 per doz.

BUTTER.—Prime table butter falls short of the demand. Receipts since our 42 packages. The market is firm, and prices have advanced 1@2c since Monday. Some more cases are "seeding," and do not give that attention to the dairy which they otherwise would do. The current rates are for choice rolls, nicely put up 30@32c; some lots are held higher; other sales were made down to 14@16c ₱ lb.

CANNED FRUIT.—The following are the ruling rates of the market: Pineapple Phœnix Hydraulic, $3 50@3 75; Pineapple, ☞ Mr. Rosendale, $4 00@4 50; Cadwallader, $3 75; Peaches, $2 75@3 25 ₱ bbl.

CANDLES.—There is more call for sperm, and a fair demand is reported for the following: Star, full weight, 19c; short do 17c; mould 12@13c ₱ lb.

CHEESE.—Receipts 70 boxes. The market under light receipts is very firm, and we are reported sales as follows: New York Goshen Hollow, Ohio factory 14@15c; Ohio factory 13@14c; Dairy 8@9c ₱ lb.

CIDER.—Current rate Lye.—There is a regular demand, with sales of Pennsylvania at $6 00, and Philadelphia at $6 50.

CANNED OIL.—Prices remain stationary. The general impression is gaining strength that prices have touched bottom, and that they will soon look up. Holders are waiting anxiously for that important event. In the meantime we note sales of standard brands in a regular way at 29½@30c ₱ gallon.

CORN MEAL.—The demand is limited and prices dull; sales in a small way at 80@85c ₱ bush.

EGGS.—Market firm; prime fresh, nicely packed, are in good demand, with the prices tending upwards. Sales are reported at 21@23c, with some lots reported as being disposed of at higher figures.

FLOUR.—We have no change to note in prices. The receipts since our last are light, while the demand has increased. The receipts of the week have been liberal, but have been freely taken on arrival.

We are reported the following sales:

Bituminous Coal—Smelted from Lake Superior Ores.

550 tons white iron	$31 50	4 m
600 tons gray forge	34 00	4 m
100 tons gray forge	34 00	4 m
100 tons gray forge	34 00	4 m
300 tons gray forge	34 00	4 m
200 tons gray forge	34 00	4 m
100 tons gray forge	34 00	4 m
100 tons gray forge	34 00	4 m
100 tons gray forge	34 00	4 m
100 tons No. 1 Foundry, Kingsland	37 00	4 m
100 tons No. 1 mill iron	34 50	4 m
100 tons No. 1 mill iron	34 00	4 m
50 tons white iron	32 00	4 m

Anthracite.

250 tons Chickies forge at furnace	$32 00	cash
200 tons medium No. 3, from yard	33 00	6 m.
300 tons mottled white and close gray	32 50	6 m.
100 tons mottled white and close gray	32 00	5 m.
100 tons gray	33 50	4 m.
100 tons medium mottled and white	31 50	4 m.
60 tons close gray and mottled	33 00	4 m.
50 tons No. 1 foundry	36 50	4 m.
50 tons No. 1 extra foundry	37 00	4 m.
50 tons No. 2 extra foundry	36 00	4 m.
50 tons extra forge. Put on brand at furnace	32 00	4 m.
50 tons No. 3 gray forge from yard	33 00	cash
20 tons white iron	P. T.	

Receipts of Pig Metal, Blooms and Ore.

Following are the receipts of metal for the past twenty four hours:

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, P. R. R. CO. LESSEE.

Cars.		Cars.
Nimick & Co, m	3 Superior Mills, m	6
Smith & ——, m	5 Bryan & Caughey, m	3
J Woodwell & Co, m	1 Hartbaugh, M & Co, m	2
Union Mills, m	1 Harbaugh, M & Co, m	2
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PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL RAILROAD.

Cars.		Cars.
Hartbaugh, M & Co, m	2 J Reamer, m	2
H Critchlow, m	8 Bryan & C, m	2
Total		25

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

Cars.		Cars.
Coleman, Rham & Co, m	1 McKnight & Co, m	2
John Moorhead, m	2 Lewis, O & P, m	3
Total		8

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.

Cars.		Cars.
J Moorhead, m	4 Hussey, W & Co, o	1
Hallman & H, m	4 Pitts Boh Clay Co, o	1
Shoenberger, B & Co, o	3 Carnegie, K & Co, o	1
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IRON MARKETS.

CLEVELAND.

September 5.—There is a firmer feeling in all branches of pig iron, a nominal advance of $1 on Scotch, which is held at full outside figures. The movement in dull iron continues and the market is very firm.

There is no change to note in bar iron, nails or hardware. The movement of all is very brisk, and markets for them are supported by marked firmness.

PIG IRON.

Scotch Pig	$29 00@30 00	3 mos
Tuscarawas (soft foundry)	31 50@32 00	6 mos
Tuscarawas (soft foundry)	31 50@32 00	4 mos
Tuscarawas	32 50@33 50	4 mos
Lake Superior Charcoal	31 50@32 00	4 mos
Lake Superior Charcoal	33 50@35 00	4 mos
Anthracite Foundry	31 50@32 00	4 mos
Lake Sup'r (Bituminus coal)	31 50@32 00	4 mos
Lake Sup'r (Bituminus coal)	32 50@35 00	4 mos
Black River Charcoal	33 50@35 00	4 mos
Black River Charcoal	35 00@37 00	4 mos
Salisbury (for car wheels)	43 50@44 00	3 mos

—Commercial Iron etc.

New York Finance and Trade.

Gold Closed at 113⅝@113¾.

NEW YORK, September 8—P M

MONEY

More active to-day. Loans, in most instances, were made at 2½ ₱ cent.

EXCHANGE.

Sterling exchange 108¾.

GOLD

Steady at 113⅛@113⅜. Loans were from 3-64 per day to 2 ₱ cent. per annum for use. Two small lots were loaned late at 2-62 ₱ cent. for carrying. Clearings $86,000,000.

GOVERNMENTS

Dull and declined about ½, except on currency 6s

Coupons 1881	118½@118⅝	114%
5-20s, 1862	115½@115¾	114%
5-20s, 1864	115½@115¾	114%
5-20s, 1865	Currency 6s	114%
5-20s, 1865, new	114¼@114⅜	114%

STATE SECURITIES

Dull. About the only business transacted was in New South Carolinas and Missouris.

Missouris	92	Virginias, old
Tennessees, old	70	North Carolinas, old
Tennessees, new	69½	North Carolinas, new
Virginias, new	63¾	

RAILROAD BONDS

Stocks active and excited, with frequent fluctuations. The upward course of speculation received a check this afternoon by the remarkable decline in Rock Island. Joseph common stock, which suddenly broke from 98 to 72, under a pressure to sell. The movement was in sympathize with the decline in common shares and reflected additional weakness in the list, while other quotations shifted to 82 to 85 without any sales. The decline in Rock Island, which was unexpected, had its influence on the entire list, and for a long time there was a pressure to sell, but towards the close there was a steadier feeling. Northwests have been weak all day. The most active stocks were in Erie, Pacific Mail, Western Union, Hannibal and St. Joe, and Northwest preferred. The Erie Railway contest is expected during the next few days as the "conventional time" for the Erie Board of Directors. The market, supported by Garland, Travers & Co. R. J. Cadenas & Co. and the leading bulls in Erie, closed with a good judgment and success for the past thirty days have given them the leading position in the street.

W. U. Telegraph	69½	Rock Island	111½
Quicksilver	27¾	N. J. Central	99¾
Maripposa	8¼	St. Paul	64½
Preferred	37½	Preferred	76
Wells-Fargo Express	56	Atlantic Mail	57
Adams Express	58	Fort Wayne	100¾
U. S. Ex.	59½	Terre Haute	8
Pacific Mail	57¾	Preferred	25
New York Central	102	Chicago and Alton	125
New York Central, Scrip	99¾	Preferred	130
Erie	25	Cleveland	100
Preferred	49¾	Toledo	109½
Harlem	127	Lake Shore	112
Preferred	141	Michigan Central	129
Reading	115½	Union Pacific	34½
Michigan Southern	94	New York Pacific Bonds	120
Cleveland and Pittsb'g	77½	Union	92
Northwestern	36¾		
Preferred	80¾		

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, September 8, 1871.

FLOUR—Demand fair and prices advanced 15@.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring opened active and closed quiet at $1 Fall 1@cash; $1 17 September and $1 19 seller all year; the afternoon irregular but active at $1 17⅞ cash or September.

CORN—No. 2 mixed active at 46¼c cash or September, and 45¾@46c October; this afternoon steady at 46@46⅛c September.

OATS—Active and advanced ½c; No. 2 33½c.

RYE—Active and advanced 2@3c; No. 2 61½c.

BARLEY—Advanced 1@2c; No. 2 $1 04.

PROVISIONS—Very firm at 8c.

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HOGS—Active and 15@20c lower at $4 25@4 65; receipts 6,000; shipments 6,000.

CATTLE—Active and steady at $2 40@5 00.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, September 8.—Cotton closed dull; middling uplands 20¾c. Flour firm; superfine western and State $5 60@6 00; common to fair extra western $6 05@6 40; good to choice $6 60@8 60; white western $8 60@9 00; common to fair extra Ohio $6 05@6 40; good to choice $6 60@8 00. Corn meal quiet. Wheat steady at 95@96c for white; spring $1 10@1 11; amber winter $1 12@1 13; winter red western $1 09@1 12; amber Michigan $1 06@1 08; white Michigan $1 10@1 11; Illinois spring $1 10@1 11; amber Illinois $1 11@1 12. Rye firm; western 80c. Barley and malt quiet. Corn firm; receipts 22,000 bushels; sales 60,000 bushels; western and Ohio 46@46½c; western to arrive in October, 46c; No. 2 and boat, 46½c; yellow western, 47c. Oats firm; fair to good, rolling 30@32½c; Ohio 32½@33½c; Chicago 32½@33½c; Milwaukee 32½@33½c. Pork firm; mess $13 50@13 62½; prime $11 50@12 00; prime mess $14 00@14 50. Beef steady; plain mess $7 00@8 00; extra mess $8 50@9 00. Beef more active but unchanged. Cut meats quiet; hams 10@11c; shoulders 8@8½c; middles, long clear 9@9½c; short clear 10@10½c; short ribs 10½@11c. Lard quiet; steam 9@9¼c; kettle dried 9½@9¾c; October and January 9¼@9⅜c. Butter quiet; western 14@20c; Ohio 20@25c. Cheese firm; State 13@15½c; western 13@15c. Whisky firm at 85 70@85 75 for shipping extras. Wheat dull; spring No. 2 $1 09@1 12; amber Michigan and Wisconsin $1 12@1 13; winter red western $1 12@1 13; amber do $1 13@1 14. Corn steady; western mixed 50c. Pork steady; new mess $13 50@13 62½; prime $11 50@12 00. Lard firm at 9¼@9⅜c. Whisky steady at 85c. Freights dull; corn to Liverpool 7d; cheese 45s. Coffee steady; Rio cargoes 17½@18c; gold 17½@18c. Sugar firm; fair to good refining 9½@9¾c; Cuba 9½@9¾c; Porto Rico 9¾@10c; Muscovado 9½@9¾c; centrifugal 9¾@10c. Molasses steady; New Orleans 60@70c. Rice firm; Carolina 9@9½c; Rangoon 8½c. Tallow steady at 9½@9⅝c. Rosin steady at $2 40@2 45. Turpentine steady at 47½@48c. Petroleum dull; crude 13½c; refined 25½c; naphtha 17½c. Freights to Liverpool steady; cotton ½d; wheat 6d; corn 7d; cheese 45s.

Louisville Market.

LOUISVILLE, September 8.—Bagging—Demand fair and unchanged. Cotton firm and higher; middling 19½c. Flour active and firm; extra family $6 50@6 75; fancy $7 00@7 25. Wheat—Red and amber scarce and firmer; sales 962 bbls Corn 1,000 bbls; white 50c; mixed 47½c. Oats firm; sales 1,000 bbls at 35@36c. Rye steady; prime 90@95c on arrival. Barley—Demand light; prime nominal. Provisions firm; mess pork $14 00; bacon—shoulders 8½c; clear sides clear rib 9½@9¾c; clear sides 10½@10¾c; sugar cured hams 13@15c; canvassed hams 15@16c; sugar cured shoulders 9½@10c; canvassed shoulders 11c. Lard—demand moderate; prime kept in tierces 9½c; leaf 10½c. Whisky steady at 85c. Tobacco very active and strong; sales 12 hhds; logs $7 50@9 00; medium leaf $9 25@10 00.

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, September 8.—Cotton steady; low middling 19½@19¾c. Whisky dull at 85c. Flour dull and unchanged. Corn firm at 45c. Rye firm at 68@70c. Barley quiet; demand light; prices unchanged. Oats steady and advanced at 32@35c. Eggs heavy; the receipts depress the market; quoted at 21c. Butter scarce and firm; fancy at 30@32c. Cheese steady. Pork firm; sales at $13 50@13 62½ ₱ bbl. Bacon—shoulders 8½@9c; clear rib 9½@9¾c; clear 10½@10¾c; sugar cured hams 13@15c; canvassed hams 15@16c; sugar cured shoulders 9½@10c; canvassed shoulders 11c. Lard—demand moderate; prime kept in tierces 9½c; leaf 10½c. Whisky steady at 85c. Tobacco very active and strong; sales 12 hhds; logs $7 50@9 00; medium leaf $9 25@10 00.

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Cleveland Market.

CLEVELAND, September 8.—Flour firm. Wheat firm and better; No. 2 red winter $1 20. Corn firm at 45c for high mixed. Oats steady at 30c. Barley steady; No. 2 at 75@77½c for car lots, and 72@75c in a small way. Rye crude $3 40@3 50.

Milwaukee Market.

MILWAUKEE, September 8.—Flour firm. Wheat active; higher at $1 13@1 15. Wheat—No. 2 closed at $1 11; No. 1 $1 20. Oats—No. 2 firm at 30c. Barley—No. 2 spring quoted at 65@70c. Rye—No. 1 firm at 65c. Barley—No. 2 firm at 69@70c.

Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, September 8.—Flour firm. Wheat active and firm; red $1 40@1 45. Corn steady; mixed Western 50@53c; white 52c. Provisions unchanged. Whisky dull at 90@90c.

New Orleans Grocery Market.

NEW ORLEANS, September 8.—Sugar and molasses nothing doing. Coffee inactive at 17½c.

OCEAN STEAMERS.

Date of Departures from New York.

Caledonia	Sept. 13	Glasgow.
Cuba	Sept. 13	Liverpool.
Colorado	Sept. 13	Liverpool.
Parthia	Sept. 20	Liverpool.
Wisconsin	Sept. 20	Liverpool.
Baltic	Sept. 23	Liverpool.
St. Laurient	Sept. 23	France.
Nevada	Sept. 27	Liverpool.

RIVER TELEGRAMS.

Wheeling, W. Va.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

WHEELING, W. VA., September 8, 1871.

River three feet three inches and falling. Weather warm and pleasant M.

For Latest River Dispatches See Outside.

RIVER NEWS.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

Arrived.

Elizabeth	Houghton	Elizabeth.
West Virginia	Donaldson	Geneva.
E. Bennett	Carmack	Geneva.
Brilliant	Bougher	Geneva.

Departed.

Elizabeth	Houghton	Elizabeth.
E. Bennett	Carmack	Geneva.
Geneva	M. A. Cox	Geneva.
Brilliant	Bougher	Geneva.

Monongahela—Two feet three inches and falling.

Boats Departing This Day.

Bonebrake and Geneva morning boat S A. M., evening P. M.

THE marks last evening indicated two feet three inches and falling slowly. The weather continues pleasant. Trade on the upper landing was brisk. These remarks don't apply to the lower landing.

THE Miner takes the place of the sunken Fontenelle in the Atchison and Omaha trade.

THE Exchange, one of the best packers afloat, is running between Cincinnati and Maysville.

THE fine steamer Messenger is offered for sale at a bargain. She is in first rate condition. For further particulars inquire of Captain Wm. Dean.

BY reference to our advertising columns it will be perceived that the steamer Lorena is offered for sale by Captain S. Shuman and James Rees, Esqs. The Lorena is a good boat and can be obtained at a bargain.

OFFICIAL SURVEY OF THE OHIO RIVER FROM PITTSBURGH TO CAIRO.—At the request of our river friends we have published a third edition of this important table, with numerous improvements. It can be obtained at the COMMERCIAL office at ten cents per copy, or three copies for twenty-five cents.

CINCINNATI—Captain John L. Rhodes, of Pittsburgh, is here looking after his marine interests in this quarter. The Captain killed a large copperhead snake on his farm, the day before he left home, and gave a black snake an unsuccessful chase. Captain Rhodes is hale and hearty.

CAPT. EUGENE W. ELLIOTT, arrived down along Pashing Privateer to boatmen, and for many years a resident of Camden, Ark., died at Jackson Barracks, near New Orleans, on the 30th inst., aged 45 years. He was a native of Columbus, Ga., and at the time of death was forty-five years of age.

LOUISVILLE, September 7.—Yesterday morning about four o'clock the residents of Waterstreet were aroused from their slumbers by what was supposed to be the explosion of a boiler. Investigation was found to be reports from heavy blasts made in the canal improvement. The night watch was greatly alarmed and the distress of the slumbers frequently before the task is accomplished.

THE St. Louis *Times* says: Capt. David Hiner, late pilot on the Kountze line of steamers, arrived in the city Sunday. He says the obstruction the Kountze struck less one mile above the foot of Wolfsland, is fifteen feet water, and directly in the channel. He thinks the water-tight compartments, which all the Kountz line boats have, was the least saved her from being a total loss as some time elapsed before the boat could be got to the bar where she settled.

ON Friday night last, about an hour before midnight, when the R. P. Walk, was forty miles above Vicksburg, she picked up an engineer, who was clinging to a piece of the fender on the starboard guard, forward of the cook house, thence passed up, coming to the conclusion that the engineer, in charge of the pantry, and demolished a portion of the cabin road. After getting that far the boats headway was stopped, and no more damages resulted. The rooms were not occupied at the time of the accident and no one was hurt.

THE Cincinnati *Commercial* refers to Capt. Dohrman as follows: Capt. Peter Dohrman, the venerable uncle of Captain Henry A. Dohrman, died in the 5th inst., Ohio, on the 5th inst., aged 75 years. The deceased was a pilot in 1824 on the steamer Yske, plying between Cincinnati and Louisville. He was a pioneer keelboatman, and visited Arkansas river in 1819, when the steamboat Comet, Capt. Thomas, and that ever ascended Arkansas above Little Rock. He was engaged in the grocery business in this city for a long while, and died, and was esteemed for his manly qualities.

THE Louisville *Courier* of yesterday says: "The bids for the contract of clearing the entrance of the canal not having met with the approval of General Weitzel, the United States Engineer in charge of canal improvements, that officer has taken this part of the work into his own hands. That this is exceedingly economical on his part, may be recognized when it is stated that a considerable sum is saved to the Government by this action, and without any personal advantage to the superintendent. The entrance to the canal, at the mouth of Fifth street, is the most important point, and the work there will necessarily lose of at least $150,000 has been occasioned to the passing boats by the ledge of rocks at this point.

AN OLD CITIZEN GONE.—To-day were laid in their final resting place, the remains of Mr. P. Dohrman, at Cincinnati. Mr. Dohrman was 75 years of age, he expired yesterday morning, shortly after midnight. Mr. Dohrman, in former years, was connected with the Ohio river trade, running as pilot between Pittsburgh and Louisville, and was at different times engaged in a number of business. For the last twenty years he has resided in this city, abandoning the river on account of advancing age, and in which position he has ever been engaged in the grocery trade. Mr. Dohrman was highly esteemed by those who knew him best, for living a member of the Fifth Street Methodist church, and ever considered an upright man.—*Wednesday's Enquirer.*

A CAIRO correspondent says: "The steamer T. F. Eckert arrived at seven o'clock this evening with the cradle U. Kountz in tow. The work of raising the latter was rather tedious, as her hull is built in compartments, and each one had to be pumped out separately. It took about two hours to lower down the after board knuckle, and was about twelve feet long. One hand passed on board of the cradle, and with this, with about 1,000 barrels on deck, was damaged. The sinking of the Kountz will probably bring up the question as to whether compartments in the hulls of steamers afford any good protection against the damages done on Western rivers or not, and I shall endeavor in my next letter to give further particulars in regard to this accident, which I could not obtain to-night. In the meantime, the conclusion may be taken as incontrovertible that, whatever the utility of the compartments may be in a steamer while afloat, they make her very difficult to raise when sunken.

NEW ORLEANS.—The *Times* of Monday says: Levee matters were, as is usually the case with each Saturday, quiet. There was nothing doing in the line beyond the discharging of the steamers M. J. Wicks and Pauline Carroll, both of which arrived from St. Louis, and the Ida Handy, from Red river. Arrivals were local packets. No departures yesterday. The river at this port is now three feet four inches below high water mark of 1862.

By a telegram received by Captain John Kouns, we learn that the Tidal Wave arrived at Shreveport all safe and sound on Thursday, August 31, and we may expect her to arrive here on Sunday. She arrived a visit yesterday from Captain W. H. Fulton, who in the ante-bellum times occupied the position, respectively, of captain and clerk on the steamer best St. Louis steamers. He is at present engaged in the wholesale grocery business at Little Rock, Arkansas. Robert Tellar and W. R. Myers, the well known steamboat passenger agents have returned from their trip North.

THE NEW STEAMBOAT LAW.—This important document has been published in book form. Below we quote some of the principal features of the act: Each steamer shall have a watchman on deck, and for every steamer of 300 tons burden, or less, one watchman; for every steamer of more than 300 tons burden, two watchmen; and for every steamer of more than 1,000 tons burden, three watchmen, who shall be stationed on the forward part of the boat, and shall keep awake and vigilant, and shall not be employed about the machinery, or in any other duty, or allowed to sleep while the boat is navigating the waters of this State. Every steamer navigating the waters of this State shall be provided with a bell of not less than 150 pounds weight, and with a steam whistle, placed in the pilot house, or in such other place as may be most convenient for the pilot, and shall be provided with such appliances as shall be sufficient to make a steam alarm sufficiently loud to be heard at least one mile. Every steamer navigating the waters of this State shall be provided with a competent engineer for every watch, and shall not run more than twelve hours in any twenty-four hours, except in case of accident happening during the trip, or unavoidable delay. Every steamer navigating the waters of this State shall be provided with a sufficient number of life preservers, or floats, or life boats, to comply with the following requirements, to wit: Every steamer shall have a sufficient number of life preservers to furnish one for each person she is authorized to carry, which shall be placed in some accessible place, and shall be distinctly marked for that purpose. Every steamer shall have a sufficient number of yawl boats, or life boats, to carry, when properly manned, one-half the number of persons she is authorized to carry, which shall be kept in a state of readiness for immediate use, and shall be so placed as to be easily launched in case of accident. Every steamer shall have a sufficient number of life floats or rafts, to carry, when properly manned, one-half the number of persons she is authorized to carry, which shall be kept in a state of readiness for immediate use, and shall be so placed as to be easily launched in case of accident. Every steamer shall have a sufficient number of life preservers, or floats, or life boats, to carry, when properly manned, one-half the number of persons she is authorized to carry, which shall be kept in a state of readiness for immediate use, and shall be so placed as to be easily launched in case of accident. Every steamer shall have a sufficient number of life preservers, or floats, or life boats, to carry, when properly manned, one-half the number of persons she is authorized to carry, which shall be kept in a state of readiness for immediate use, and shall be so placed as to be easily launched in case of accident.

FINANCIAL.

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AND

Coupon Bonds

FOR SALE.

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Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad (Turtle Creek

THE VERY LATEST.

EUROPE.

BY THE ATLANTIC CABLE.

Ministerial Crisis in Portegal Ended.

LONDON, September 8.—The ministerial crisis which has been pending in Lisbon is ended.

The Continuance of the Assembly at Versailles.

VERSAILLES, September 8th.—The excited debate on Deputy Ravenel's bill, which lasted four days, closed this evening. The bill had assumed the form of a compromise providing for the continuance of the assembly at Versailles and the removal of the ministerial department to Paris; but the government opposed the paragraph proposing the transfer of the ministry, and it was rejected. The bill, as finally amended, was adopted.

INDUSTRIAL EXPOSITION.

Large Attendance at the Cincinnati Exhibition—A Fine Display of Manufactures.

CINCINNATI, September 8.—Though the Industrial Exposition is by no means what it will become by the first of the approaching week, and the general understanding is that it will be a number of days before it will present its best appearance. The attendance to-day was about 6,000—double what it was the corresponding period last year. Considerable machinery is in operation to-day, but a satisfactory visit to the power room can't be made before next Monday or Tuesday. As the arrangement becomes complete, the superiority of the display becomes more and more apparent. This is specially seen in articles of domestic use. The show in fine china is not extensive; in silverware there is a splendid display, and in drugs and chemicals manufacturers appear to have made unusual preparations. Three exhibitions in this department from Philadelphia and one from St. Louis make splendid exhibitions. The carriage department is full to repletion, and Agricultural Hall is so crowded that a roof will be erected over the alley on the south of the buildings, and this space be used to receive the pressure in this department. Among the display in soaps Buffalo takes a prominent part, while Dayton, O., is a prominent exhibitor in cut tobaccos.

RENFORTH'S DEATH.

Congestion of the Lungs and Over Exertion the Cause.

ST. JOHNS, N. B., September 8.—The Renforth inquest was concluded last evening. The result of the *post mortem* examination showed that Renforth's lungs were engorged with blood, and that his death was caused by over-exertion, combined with great mental excitement. Dr. Jackson, of Boston, testified that no trace of poison could be found in the stomach of deceased. The verdict of the jury was that Renforth came to his death by congestion of the lungs, caused by over-exertion.

POLITICAL.

O'Donovan Rossa Nominated for Register.

NEW YORK, September 8.—The friends of O'Donovan Rossa held a meeting to-night and nominated him as an independent candidate for Register of the city and county of New York. Rossa accepted.

Ratification Meeting.

A large and enthusiatic Republican meeting in Jersey City ratified the nomination. General Kilpatrick made a speech fully indorsing the nomination of Walsh for Governor.

NEWS SUMMARY.

BY TELEGRAPH.

The annual race meeting on the Kentucky Association course commences on Monday. General Buford and John Harper are already on the ground with their stables, including Longfellow, Enquirer and seventy-five other celebrated animals. It is expected there will be excellent sport.

All the prisoners in jail at Salem, N. J., escaped last evening.

The United States Consul at Panama demands the immediate prosecution of Gen. Herrera and others as pirates, for seizing the American merchant steamer Montejo for revolutionary purposes.

RAILWAY MATTERS.

REORGANIZATION.

CINCINNATI, September 8.—The agreement between the creditors of the Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Lafayette Railway for an adjustment of its debt and a reorganization of the company, has been signed by two-thirds of the parties in interest, and becomes valid.

Titusville Petroleum Market.

TITUSVILLE PA., September 8.—The *Courier* reports the Petroleum market for Friday, September 8th, as follows: Sales—

1,000 bbls upper road P. T. Co., spot	$4 32½	
1,000 bbls upper road, S. & Co., spot	4 32½	
1,000 bbls upper road, B. O., October	4 50	
250 bbls upper road, Church Run, spot	4 32½	
500 bbls Petroleum Center, regardless, spot	4 70	
250 bbls Rouseville regardless	4 67½	
750 bbls Rouseville regardless	4 70	
2,000 bbls Oil City, 47 gravity	4 85	

Very dull day all along. Creek, with a shade weaker feeling at all points among buyers, while sellers hold their ground firmly. On upper road $4 35, $5 40 and $4 50 were the bids, but no oil was offered at such rates; $4 65 and $4 70 were offered on lower road and $4 85 at Oil City, but from 5 to 10c above these rates were demanded.

ADDITIONAL RIVER DISPATCHES.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, September 8.—River seven feet three inches and falling.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, September 8.—River falling with twenty-two inches in the chute, three feet on at head of canal, five feet on the shoalest bars to Cincinnati. Clear and pleasant. Very dull. A contract has been made for the building of a boat here of one hundred and fifty by thirty-six feet, five feet hold, to run on Sabine river, Texas.

Cairo.

CAIRO, September 8.—Port list: Mollie Ragon, Evansville packet, 7 A. M.; Falls Price, Cairo to New Orleans, 8 A. M.; Grand Tower, St. Louis to Memphis, 9 A. M.; Octavia, Mound City to St. Louis, noon; Indiana, Arkansas river to St. Louis, 2 P. M.; Dictator, Memphis to Cairo, 2 P. M.; Henry Ames cleared for New Orleans at 6 P. M.; City of Vicksburg, Vicksburg to St. Louis, 6 P. M.; Mollie Ebert, New Orleans to St. Louis, 7 P. M. River fallen three inches. Clear; thermometer 90.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, September 8.—Arrived—Mountaineer, Kansas City; Lake Superior, St. Johns, Lucy Bertram, Keokuk; St. Joseph, Memphis; Atlantic, New Orleans. Departed—May Lowry, Red river; Lucy Bertram, Keokuk; Clarksville, Memphis; Lake Superior, St. Paul; Belle of Memphis, Memphis. River still falling. Weather clear and pleasant.

Albany Cattle Market.

ALBANY, September 8.—Cattle market opened tame, with the supply about the same as last week's quantity. The sales show an advance of from ½@¾c; prices reached a range for good beeves of 6½@7c; milch cows bring $70. The market for sheep and lambs rule stronger; good sheep are scarce, commanding ½c advance, while lambs sell at an advance of ½@¾c. the range is 5½@6½c for sheep, and 6½@7½c for lambs.

A LIVELY WEEK IN BEAVER.

Three Meetings Held. Two Temperance and One Republican—The Rauch Party in the Pay of the Democracy—Enthusiastic Republican Meeting—Able Speeches—The White Trial—The Jury Not Likely to Agree—Meeting of Trustees of Beaver Seminary and Institute.

Special Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Commercial.

BEAVER, September 8, 1871.

There has been unusual excitement in this quiet town this week. Court is in session, and in addition we have had two temperance and one Republican meetings. The first temperance meeting on Monday evening was called to nominate a county ticket, but there being only sixteen men and boys present willing to identify themselves with the movement, and twelve or those belonging to one election district, the managers concluded to postpone the making of nominations until some future time. The meeting was addressed by Mr. Rauch, of Lancaster, and Mr. Wright, of Harrisburg, both of whom devoted a considerable part of their time to abusing the Republican party. Rauch is said to be a political bankrupt—a Republican until he lost all standing with the party, and now he is endeavoring to help the Democrats by running a side-show, hoping thereby to deceive a few honest temperance men. Wright was formerly a minister in the Methodist Episcopal Church, but has lost his standing in the church, and is now working for any doubtless paid by the Democratic party in this State. Both the speakers admitted they had no hopes of electing any part of their ticket, but declared they could and would defeat the Republican ticket, which, by the way, no intelligent man here believes. One of the speakers said that the country had always prospered under Democratic rule, and if that party obtained the power again, the country would be in safe hands. The Democrats present were delighted with the meeting, but at the same time not one of them will vote the temperance ticket. The Republicans of this county cannot be caught in such tricks, and we will give our usual majority for Stanton and Beath, and probably increase it one or two hundred.

The Republican meeting on Tuesday evening was large and enthusiastic. Rev. Mr. Hayno, of New Castle, made an eloquent and telling speech, part of which was devoted to the temperance movement, showing its impracticability for good, and that it was only an aid of the Democratic party. Hon. T. M. Marshall made a powerful speech, comparing the records of the two parties, and exhorting Republicans to stand by their colors and to do their duty at the coming election. We see he is announced to speak again in Beaver county during the campaign, and as he is a great favorite here, he will doubtless draw a large audience.

The time of the Court has been taken up in the trial of Rev. W. M. White, of Pittsburgh, formerly of Hookstown, in this county, for abortion. Messrs. Marshall and Swartzwelder, of your city, defended him, and the District Attorney was assisted by Messrs. Wilson and Hice, of this place. The jury went out last evening, and at this writing are still out, and notlikely to agree. Five of them stand one-third for acquittal and two-thirds for conviction. Great interest was manifested in the case, and the Court House was crowded during the trial. Mr. White was deposed from the ministry by the Presbytery of Washington, but a majority of the people doubt the sentence of his brethren was right, because if not guilty of abortion he certainly is of almost as grave offences.

The trustees of the Beaver Seminary and Institute, several of whom are among your most successful business men, held a meeting yesterday, to take into consideration the plan of buildings for the contemplated additions.

There is no doubt that this location is as favorable as could be desired, and money only is necessary to give the seminary that commanding position among the institutions of its grade that its reputation other institutions have for years been of the deserves. Its patrons have for years been of the best and most truly refined and intelligent classes of society, showing, as we think, that it must possess superior merit. We know that no expense is spared to make it first-class in all its appointments.

We are pleased to learn from Dr. Taylor, the Principal for many years, and to whom the seminary is equal for many years, and to whom the seminary is so deeply indebted, that the prospects for a full opening next week are very flattering. Send your daughters out of the dirt and smoke and bustle of the city to this beautiful, healthful and delightful spot for their education, and we will return them improved, physically and intellectually. VISITOR.

BEAVER COUNTY ITEMS.

We find the following Beaver county news in the *Beaver County Press* of yesterday:

Dr. J. Linenfelser, of Rochester, died on Tuesday evening last. He was an old and respected citizen.

The shoe store of John Watson, in New Brighton, was robbed of about $60 worth of goods last Saturday night. No clue.

The German Turners of Beaver Falls have organized a society with thirty members.

Abraham Hill, of Pulaski township, was bitten on the wrist by a copperhead snake last Saturday evening. Hill stooped to pick up a stone with which to kill the snake, when it sprang and fastened itself upon his wrist, taking with it a mouthful of flesh when pulled off.

On Wednesday a young man, name unknown, was run over and killed by a loaded coal truck at the mines near Darlington. On the same day, at Col. Foote's cannel coal mines in the same neighborhood, two men named Bush Harvey fell from a trestle and were badly injured.

The public school in Beaver will open on Monday.

CITY MATTERS.

METEOROLOGICAL RECORD.

Observations Made by the Storm Signal Service of the United States Army.

FRIDAY, September 8, 11:23 P. M.

PLACE OF OBSERVATION.	Height of bar'm.	Change in 3 hours.	Thermometer.	Change in 3 hours.	Direction of wind.	Velocity.	Pressure.	Weather.
Buffalo, N. Y.	30.18	01	62	12	S. W.	11	.07	1
Cairo	30.12	09	70	3	S.	7	.06	1
Chicago, Ill.	30.07	02	72	3	S.	11	.06	1
Cincinnati, O.	30.15	03	72	2	S.	7	.05	1
Cleveland, O.	30.15	01	68	21	S. E.	7	.04	2
Davenport, Iowa	30.00	01	68	3	S. E.	9	.05	1
Detroit, Mich.	30.10	04	62	3	S. E.	9	.05	1
Memphis, Tenn.	30.10	02	74	2	S.	7	.05	1
Nashville, Tenn.	30.23	06	72	3	S.	7	.05	1
New Orleans, La.	30.03	06	76	2	S. W.	9	.05	1
Pittsburgh, Pa.	30.20	06	67	3	S.	3	.02	1
Rochester, N. Y.	30.17	01	70	3	S.	7	.04	1
St. Louis, Mo.	30.03	06	72	3	S. E.	7	.04	1
St. Paul	30.03	08	65	3	S. W.	7	.04	1

Character of the winds to save space is indicated by the letters of the alphabet, as follows: A, calm; B, perceptible; B, gently brisk; C, pleasant brisk; D, very brisk; E, high wind; F, very high wind; G, strong gale; H, violent gale; I, hurricane; J, most violent hurricane.

State of the weather, in the same way, is indicated by numerals, as follows: 1, clear; 2, fair; 3, cloudy; 4, light rain; 5, heavy rain; 6, snow.

Reports received over the wires of the Western Union, Northwestern and International Ocean Telegraph Companies.

List of Unmailable Letters, September 8, 1871.

Bailey & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.
Bishop & Bro., Philadelphia, Pa.
Campbell, Dr. D., N.C. Union, O.
Coale, Charles, New Brighton, Pa.
Donaldson, J. A., Greensburg, Pa.
Dunn, Richard, St. Louis, Mo.
Evans, John, Freemansburg, Pa.
Gay, D. A., Winchester, Ky.
Graham, Robert, Ball's Cross Roads, Pa.
Grafter, D. G., Tyrone, Pa.
Haering & Co., D., Temperanceville, Pa.
Manice, S. L., Cleveland, O.
Monroe, John S., Allegheny, Pa.
Weiller & Ellis, Philadelphia, Pa.

Woman's Suffrage Association.

The Woman's Suffrage Association, of Allegheny county, held a meeting last evening, in the hall of the Grand Army of the Republic, No. 104, Fourth avenue. There was a large attendance and great interest was manifested in the exercises.

The meeting was called to order at eight o'clock by the President, Miss Matilida Hindman, after which prayer was offered by Rev. A. R. Leonard.

Interesting addresses were then delivered by Rev. A. R. Leonard and Prof. Butler, of Buffalo. At the conclusion of the addresses, a vote of thanks was tendered the speakers.

Mrs. Jenkins moved that, as the Treasurer had been absent a number of meetings, another person be appointed to fill the office the remainder of the term. The motion was carried, and Mr. Proudfoot appointed.

Miss Jennie Hindman moved that a committee of seven be appointed to make arrangements for the mass meeting to be held in this city in the latter part of October. The motion carried and Messrs. Proudfoot, Goehring, Burtt and Misses McClarren, McQuade, Kelly and Mrs. Jenkins were appointed. Mrs. Jenkins now read a letter from Mrs. Foster, first Vice-President of the Association. Mrs. Foster was formally a resident of this city but is now residing in Philadelphia. She regretted that she could not be present, and hoped the association would succeed in their efforts to advance their cause in this locality. The letter stated that the ladies of Boston were making preparation to hold a fair, at which they expected to realize $15,000. The last fair realized $7,000.

Mrs. Jenkins now referred at some length to the practice of compelling women, who had been sentenced to the work-house, to walk from the Mayor's office to the railroad station, to be hooted at by coarse men, and followed by a crowd of boys. In a number of cities in this country, the women were taken in covered conveyances, and were thus concealed from the public rabble.

Mrs. Jenkins then moved that a committee of three be appointed to wait on the Mayor, to request him not to permit female prisoners to be marched through the public streets to the railroad station, but to have them sent by public conveyances. After considerable discussion the motion was carried. Mr. J. Anderson, Mrs. Jenkins and Miss Hattie Smith were appointed.

The meeting then adjourned.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed of record in the office of Recorder Thomas H. Hunter, since our last report:

Mary Butler to Daniel Wenke, August 30, 1871; lots Nos. 14 and 38 in John Brown's plan of lots, Lower St. Clair township, buildings $3,650
Z. Gillespie et ux. to Daniel Mahoney, August 19, 1871; lot No 8 in S. C. Campbell, et al. plan of lots, Sixth ward, Allegheny $800
Z. Gillespie et ux. to Daniel Lucy, August 19, 1871; lot No. 7 in S. C. Campbell et al. plan, Sixth ward, Allegheny $800
A. C. Silverman et ux. to John Huckestein, July 26, 1871; 66 by 138 feet, Fremont street, Second ward, Allegheny $5,600
Stephen Jarvis et ux. to Patrick Laffy, September 1, 1871; lots Nos. 157 and 158 in R. Robb's plan of lots, Temperanceville, buildings $600
Stephen Jarvis to Patrick Laffy, September 1, 1871; lots Nos. 159 and 160 in R. Robb's plan of lots, Temperanceville, buildings $600
Z. Gillespie et ux to Celia Gogins, August 24, lot No. 2 in S. C. Campbell et al. plan, Sixth ward, Allegheny City $800
Z. Gillespie et ux to Patrick McNamara, August 19, 1871; lot No. 15 in Campbell's plan, Sixth ward, Allegheny City $700
Z. Gillespie et ux to Thomas Lucy, August 19, 1871; lot No. 6 in S. C. Campbell's et al plan, Sixth ward, Allegheny City $800
William Silk et ux. to John S. Scully, August 30, 1871; 30 acres of land in Chartiers township $18,000
Stephen Jarvis et ux to John Lutz, July 31, 1871; lots Nos. 15 and 16 in block 3 in C. Shaler's plan, Union borough; buildings $500

CITY MATTERS IN BRIEF.

FRITZ FRIES, of the *Volksblatt*, leaves for Erie this morning and will be absent for several days.

FATHER GEORGE KISSEL, of the St. Augustine community, leaves this country for Germany on the 14th instant.

WM. BYERLY and Edward Webb got into a quarrel at the corner of Pike and Thirteenth streets about eight o'clock last evening and a fight ensued, when Byerly was stabbed in the abdomen. The wound is a very serious one and may prove fatal.

At eight o'clock last night seventy dollars was abstracted from the till in Putnam's shirt store, on Fifth avenue. At the time of the robbery, the clerk was in the rear part of the store, waiting on two ladies, and it is supposed that the purloining of the money by the clerks attention was drawn, entered the store and tapped the till. There is no clue to the thief.

Public Amusements.

PITTSBURGH OPERA HOUSE.—Mr. Chanfrau's benefit was attended by a large and fashionable audience last night. "Kit, the Arkansas Traveler," was the attraction, and it never went off more smoothly. Mr. Chanfrau looks, talks and acts the part of *Kit Reading* perfectly, and always receives hearty applause. The cast is good, Gothhold doing his duty thoroughly well in the character of *Manuel Bond*, the gambler. Irving does finely as *Sadie Swain*, the Southern "drummer;" Mrs. Phillips, Miss Nellie Johnson and Georgie Dickson all are well up in their respective lines. The three little girls, led by Master Irving, add their share to the interest of the piece. "Kit" will be produce at the matinee this afternoon, when Mr. Chanfrau will make his farewell appearance.

On Monday evening we are to have Mr. Joe Jefferson in "Rip Van Winkle." The box book for the sale of reserved seats will be opened this morning. It will be wise in those who propose attending during Mr. Jefferson's engagement to make an early call on the treasurer.

FIFTH AVENUE OPERA HOUSE.—Little Nell drew a large audience to the Fifth Avenue last evening, the occasion of her benefit. "Katy Did" was written expressly to bring out all the strong points of this wonderful little actress, and it does it; and that is all one can say for the piece. Nell sings well, dances well, gives a good banjo solo, and, for her age, is the best actress we ever saw. She appears in five different characters, and does justice to all. The stock company give her as good support as is possible in a range of thankless characters. Mrs. Meek, Mr. Metkiff, Welsh Edwards, Mr. Hotto, J. M. Charles, Mr. Everett, Mrs. Grattan and Miss Lizzie Edwards are all deserving of mention. "Katy Did" will be presented for the last time this evening, and will also constitute the bill for the matinee.

Mr. John Collins, Irish comedian and vocalist, is announced to appear on Monday evening. Although a veteran in the profession, he still looks young, and retains all his powers of pleasing. He has a host of admirers here, and can rely on a hearty welcome back to our stage. Seats may be secured at the box-office for any night during his engagement.

VARIETIES THEATER.—Manager Aims has had a week of great successes thus far, his house being crowded to its utmost every night. This is not to be wondered at, considering the great attractions he has at present. The Majiltons, the Costellos, Venturoli, Cette Ifert, and a full corps of Ethiopian delineators, ballad singers, dancers, etc., form a combination seldom equalled. There will be a matinee this afternoon at half-past two, and in the evening a double bill of acts.

PERSONAL.—Mr. H. E. Hoyt, of the firm of Plaisted & Hoyt, has just returned from Niles, O., where he has been engaged for some time in getting up a complete outfit of scenery, drop-curtains, etc., for Union Hall. Mr. Hoyt describes the new hall as complete in all its details, and well fitted for the production of anything in the dramatic line. Niles is a thriving place, with a fine class of people, and they are to be congratulated on securing a first-class amusement hall. The new hall was fitted up by the School Board of the town, and we have no doubt it will prove a paying investment, whether considered financially or otherwise.

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HAZARD & CASWELL'S Cod Liver Oil is the best. tths

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Boot and Shoe House
IN THE CITY.
J. H. BORLAND,
53 and 55 Wood Street,
HAS JUST RECEIVED A VERY LARGE FALL STOCK OF
Boots, Shoes
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RUBBERS,
Comprising all Styles and Qualities, bought at the Low est Cash Prices direct from the Manufacturers, and will be sold at the Lowest New York and Boston Prices, thus saving freight and expense.
Agent for Philadelphia Manufactured Goods at Factory Prices.
NEW GOODS RECEIVED DAILY.
ORDERS FROM COUNTRY DEALERS PROMPTLY FILLED AND SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.
Country Merchants, when in the city, call and examine our Stock before purchasing elsewhere, as you can save TEN PER CENT. by buying here.
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53 AND 55 WOOD STREET.
STORAGE,
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LARGE CAPACITY.
Apply to S. N. EVANS,
At Patterson's Livery Stable, Fourth avenue.

CELEBRATED SCALE COMPANY.

There is no point of more vital importance to the grocer, the druggist, the miner or the manufacturer than that his scales should be reliable and perfect in their operations, for if inaccurate it follows that he must be robbing either himself or his customer at every draft. It therefore behooves the careful business man to see to it that his scales are the best that can be had. In this case most emphatically "the best are the cheapest."

The scales manufactured by the Brandon Manufacturing Company, under the Sampson & Howe patents, after the severest tests and the closest competitors for sensitiveness, accuracy, simplicity and durability—and truly claim the denomination of "Standard Scales."

The agents for this section of country, Messrs. Scott & McClurg, have now in store at No. 63 Wood street, the largest assortment probably west of New York, of every variety of scales that can be called for, and are prepared to supply every want in that line from the smallest postoffice balance to the largest railroad track scale, and at prices to satisfy the closest buyer.

Grocers will find here also a full assortment of fixtures used in their line of business, such as tea canisters, coffee bins, measures, funnels, etc., etc. Their establishment is well worthy of a call.

JOB PRINTING.

One of the best and most popular job printing establishments in the city is that of Jas. A. Bell, Moore & Co., Nos. 84 and 86 Fifth avenue. This firm is a continuation of the old reliable firm of Ehrett, Anderson & Co., and since the establishment has passed into the hands of the present firm the entire office has been refitted, rearranged and refurnished, so that it is now one of the most complete job printing establishments in the city. The firm have every facility for handling all kinds of work, and, relatively for Allegheny, Pittsburgh, Pa., for a Catalogue. ther Germain or English, not excelled by any establishment in the West. The firm is composed of gentlemen who are all practical printers, Mr. Jackson, the superintendent of the office, is a practical job printer with over ten years' experience as foreman in one of the leading job printing establishments in the country, and Mr. Kincaid, the business manager, is well and favorably known among the business men in this city.

Job work of every description, from the smallest card to the largest show bill will be done in the neatest possible manner upon the most reasonable terms and upon the shortest notice.

ANOTHER GREAT VICTORY.

50,000 Rats, Mice and Roaches killed and missing, by using Ake's Vermin Exterminator. Try this thing out. Try it. Prepared and sold wholesale and retail at Charles Abel & Co.'s, 172 Wylie avenue.

FISHEY.

As the whale cannot talk, that caused Jonah and the fish to disagree? Jonah wanted to come ashore to get the Housekeeps' Consolation. Ask your groceryman for it.

FOOLS WILL BE SOLD

This evening at Hamill & Haley's, Constitution Saloon, 4 Market alley, on the scull race at Saratoga.

IT HAS NO EQUAL

For banishing rats, mice and roaches—Abel's Vermin Exterminator. *Try* it.

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Keep on the Bottom.

In the retail clothing trade a great majority, nearly all, purchase of manufacturers the garments they sell. We need not refer to the fact that the time second and third profits are added to the original manufacturer's cost of goods the prices are of course anything but cheap.

To do a retail clothing business successfully nowadays, the merchant who undertakes it will be sadly disappointed if he hopes for success without having all the advantages which the making of his own garments affords him. Jenkins' Arcade is the very where and among all classes the most sensitive. A proper respect for that holds in check the tradesman, who might otherwise subtract materials from what we know governs the merchant when he says, "If I sell less at large profits it is just as well for me as to sell small profits."

There is no more fatal theory. Save us from the snare. We dispute that policy, which is not founded upon one's knowledge of human nature. Cash purchasers are independent: they go for the place where they get the best value for their money, and they tell others where to buy. All of us speak of our good luck; of the good bargains we get, and so the shrewd merchant makes an advertising medium of every customer if he sells cheap. Nutting, the clothier for men, youths, boys and children, 42 Sixth street.

School Books.

School Books.
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School Books.

All books used in the District and High Schools in the city, also academies and private schools, can be obtained at

John W. Pittock & Co.'s
Bookstore,
Opposite the Postoffice.

Also, all school requisites, slates, composition books, copy books, pens, pencils, drawing pencils and crayons, lunch-box companions, book straps and carriers, etc., etc.

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School Books.

"Own Up, Pay Up, and Shut Up."

That was Oliver Wendell Holmes's advice to the American who was about to go to Europe; but to Americans in England. The advice will not be out of place if given to some retail merchants. If you have sold goods that did not fit satisfactory; if a clothing merchant has sold a garment that does not come up to the recommendation, own up when you are assured of it; if your patron knows you that he has bought for perfect an article that proves to be damaged, don't stand over it. Let it go, accept the loss, but rather "Own up, pay up, and shut up," and a hundred to one the customer will be your friend and attract ever after, and we think this is the chiefest for men and boys, 42 Sixth street, if you don't succeed.

Why is It

That is the question which will naturally arise in the mind of an intelligent community that the old and reliable house of J. D. Thompson & Co., No. 240 Liberty street, have succeeded in building up an immense business, and as there is a good and sufficient reason for every success, the answer is found in their thorough appreciation of the wants of the public, their supperior facilities in buying and consequent ability to sell at low figures, their polite attention. Try them and be convinced. Remember 240 Liberty street.

Lemon Cake.

Take one-half cup butter, two cups of white sugar, three eggs (yolk and whites beaten separately), one cup of sweet milk, grated rind of a lemon, three cups of flour, with one measure Banner Baking Powder in; bake in long or square pans. Each can of Banner Baking Powder contains a measure, and full directions for using it, by following which bad cakes are avoided. The Banner Recipes furnished gratis by your grocer.

Lea & Perrins' Sauce.

Pronounced by connoisseurs "the only good sauce." It imparts relish and digestion, and it is unrivalled for its flavor. We are directed by Messrs. Lea & Perrins to caution parties making or vending counterfeits. John Duncan's Sons, agents, New York. TTHS

American Family Sewing Machine.

PITTSBURGH, PA., September 7th, 1871.

MR. EDIT—*Dear Sir:*—The American Family Sewing Machine took the first premium over the Singer, Howe, Empire and Keystone, at the Mercer county fair of the 6th, 7th and 8th.

Pools Will Be Sold

This evening at Hamill & Haley's, Constitution Saloon, 4 Market alley, on the scull race at Saratoga.

"To Perfume and Dress the Hair.

Use Burnett's Cocoaine."—*Philadelphia Bulletin.*

Useful and Ornamental.

The glassware at R. E. Breed's, No. 100 Wood street, is both useful and ornamental.

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Burnett's Kalliston

Will impart a *clear, soft* and *beautiful* hue to the skin.

Neat and Serviceable.

The queensware sold at R. E. Breed's, No. 100 Wood street, is both neat and serviceable.

Everybody Should Try

The China at R. E. Breed's queensware store, No. 100 Wood street.

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MARRIED:

BRYCE—HERRON—On Thursday evening, September 7th, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mount Albion, by Rev. William J. Reid, ROBERT G. BRYCE, and MARTHA, daughter of John Herron, Esq., both of Pittsburgh.

DIED.

BURCHFIELD—Thursday evening, at 10½ o'clock, MAGGIE S., infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Burchfield.

Funeral from the residence of the parents, in the Twenty-second Ward, (late Squirrel Hill), at 2 o'clock P. M., of SATURDAY, 9th inst. Carriages from W. H. Downs & Co.'s, 104 Grant street, at 1 o'clock.

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PROPOSED

Amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Be it Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of this Commonwealth be proposed to the people for their adoption or rejection, pursuant to the provisions of the tenth article thereof, to wit:

AMENDMENT.

Strike out the Sixth Section of the Sixth Article of the Constitution, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A State Treasurer shall be chosen by the qualified electors of the State, at such times and for such term of service as shall be prescribed by law."

JAMES H. WEBB,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILLIAM A. WALLACE,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved the fifteenth day of June, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

JNO. W. GEARY.

Prepared and certified for publication pursuant to the Tenth Article of the Constitution.

F. JORDAN,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Office Secretary of the Commonwealth,
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